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BIRTH

ALBERGA.—On April 8, 1940, at the International Hospital, Hankow, to Mr. and Mrs. Alberga, a son. 11949

MARRIAGE

SPARKE-LAWFORD.—On Wednesday, April 10, 1940, at Holy Trinity Cathedral, by the Very Reverend A. C. S. Trivett, M.A., D.D., HAMILLA, elder daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Lawford, of Shanghai, to JOHN, son of Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Sparke, formerly of Shanghai. 11961

DEATHS

CAMPBELL.—On April 9,1940, at the General Hospital, Shanghai, KENNETH WILLIAM CAMPBELL, dearly-loved father of Mrs. Alma Sanderson, Mrs. Edith Davies, Mrs. Dorothy Cautherley and Kenneth Mathieson Campbell. The funeral will take place at the Bubbling Well Cemetery on Friday, April 12, at 4 p.m. (In lieu of flowers donations may be sent to St. Andrew's Society.) 11965

BOOLSEN.—On April 8, 1940, at the Queen's Hospital, Honolulu, after a long illness, GEORGE BOOLSEN, aged 60, dearly-beloved husband of Edith Boolsen, Shanghai. (By cable.) 11964

CARD

Mr. WILLIAM TICE

P.P.C. —6078

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Thirty-fourth Ordinary General Meeting of THE SHANGHAI ELECTRIC CONSTRUCTION COMPANY, LTD., will be held at the Head Office of the Company, 185 Soochow Road, Shanghai, on Tuesday, April 30, 1940, at 4 o'clock in the afternoon for the purposes following, namely:—

(1) To receive and consider the Annual Statement of Accounts and Balance Sheet, and the Reports of the Directors and Auditors thereon.
(2) To declare a Dividend.
(3) To elect Directors.
(4) To vote extra remuneration to the Directors.
(5) To appoint Auditors and to fix their remuneration.
(6) To transact any other business of an Ordinary General Meeting.

The Transfer Books and Register of Members will be closed from April 15 to April 30, 1940, both dates inclusive.

By Order of the Board,

A. POLLOCK,
Secretary,

185 Soochow Road,
Shanghai, April 6, 1940.

NOTE:—A holder of a Share Warrant to Bearer desiring to attend and vote at the meeting must deposit the Share Warrant together with a statement in writing of his name and address at the Head Office of the Company in Shanghai or at the Registered Office of the Company, Basildon House, Moorgate, London, E.C. 2, two clear days at least before the day appointed for the meeting or adjourned meeting.

Share Warrants so deposited must remain deposited until after the meeting or any adjournment thereof shall have been held. 11960

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that at an Extraordinary General Meeting of Members will be held at the Registered Office of the Company, No. 20 Canton Road, Shanghai, on Monday, May 6, 1940, at 11.45 a.m., when the SPECIAL RESOLUTION as set out in the notice sent to Members will be submitted for approval.

By Order of the Board of Directors,

A. R. BURKILL & SONS, LTD.
Secretaries and General Managers.

Shanghai, April 5, 1940. 11929

To-day's Events

APRIL

11 For. Y. Team Debate—"Co-education"
11 Rotary Club, Metropole Hotel, 12.15
11 Royal Asiatic Society: Lecture
11 Municipal Election
11 British Chamber of Commerce and China Association mtgs. 5.15
11 Limbless Jumble Sale, U.C. Hall, 9.30
11 A.D.C. 'Night Must Fall,' Lyc., 9.15
11 Concert Prof. Porgé, Princess Leuchtenberg, F. Adler, A.W.C. 9
11 Gibraltar ceded to Great Britain (1713)
11 NCDN broadcast 12.45 and 9 p.m. XMHD 760kc. 395m.

Coming Events

APRIL

12 For. Y. Evening of music—Arranged by Prof. S.S. Aksakov.
12 Shanghai Engineers' Club, Smoking Concert, 8.45
12 A.D.C. 'Night Must Fall,' Lyc., 9.15
13 A.D.C. 'Night Must Fall,' Lyc., 9.15
13 Shai. Ladies' Hockey Assn. Dinner Dance, Masonic Hall, 9
14 Municipal Orchestra Concert Lyc., 5.15
15 Engineering Society Meeting, 5.45
16 Lester Chinese Hospital mtg., 145 Shantung Rd., 5.30
16 Tuesday Evening Club, 7.30
16 L. Rosen's 30th Jubilee Gala, 'Fire Goddess,' Lt. Opera, Lyceum, 8.45

Charge for items $2 per line, which includes all insertions till date of event.

THE CENTRAL NAVAL ACADEMY OF THE REPUBLIC OF CHINA

ENTRANCE EXAMINATION FOR NEW CADETS

Notice is hereby given that the second annual entrance examination for new cadets will be held on April 18 and 19. Apart from oral and physical examinations, Chinese literature, history and geography of East Asia, mathematics (arithmetic, geometry, algebra), physics, and foreign languages (Japanese or English) are the other subjects on which written examinations will be given. Those who wish to take the examination must be graduates of junior middle-school or those who have received education of same standard. The ages are between 17 and 22.

Cadets will be trained for two years. During the training period they will be paid $12 monthly and furnished living quarters with board. After graduation cadets will be sent on board training ships as midshipmen, drawing a monthly salary of $60. After six months or one year, they will be appointed by the Government as ensigns of the new navy that lead to the highest rank of admirals. It is also a scheme of the school that prominent cadets of good character and talent be sent to Japanese Naval School for advanced study, at Government expense.

The registration for the above will be closed on April 17. Volunteers are requested to register their names as soon as possible. Particulars and forms of registration will be supplied on application.

THE PRINCIPAL

Lungwha Road, Nantao,
Shanghai, April 8, 1940.

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KROEWOEK JAVA PLANTATIONS, LIMITED

(Incorporated under the Companies' Ordinances of Hongkong)

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Thirtieth Annual General Meeting of Shareholders in the above Company will be held at No. 49 Szechuen Road, Shanghai on Thursday, April 11, 1940 at 11.45 a.m. for the purpose of receiving the Directors' Report and Statement of Accounts for the year ended December 31, 1939, declaring a Final Dividend, electing a Director and Auditors and transacting any other ordinary business.

The Transfer Books and Share Register of the Company will be closed from April 4 to April 11, 1940, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board of Directors,

J. A. WATTIE & CO., LTD.,
Secretaries and General Managers.

Shanghai, March 29, 1940. 11676

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The tenders to state the total amount (in pounds sterling). No telegraphic transfer will be made for less than £100.

The tenders to be in duplicate, and in sealed covers, addressed to the Area Paymaster, Embarkation Staff Office, 1st Floor, 24 Central Road, and endorsed "Tenders for Government Bills, etc."

The right is reserved (1) to accept or reject any or all of the tenders and (2) in case of equality of rate between tenders amounting in all to more than the total sum required, to give preference to any tender received from the Bankers to the Treasury Chest.

Persons tendering for (Bills) are hereby notified that having regard to the Provisions of the Acts 22 George III Cap. and 41 George III Cap. 52 the acceptance of any such tenders is subject to the express condition that no Member of British House of Commons shall be admitted to any share or part in or to any benefit to arise from the Contractor thereby made for the allotment of such (Bills).

The provisions in question do not apply to Contracts entered into by any incorporated company in its corporated capacity and made for the general benefit of the company.

J. S. EYNON,
Major, R.A.P.C.,
Area Paymaster, Shanghai.

Area Pay Office, Shanghai.

NOTICE

SS. BERING

The Public are hereby notified that the Master of this vessel will not be responsible for any debts incurred by members of the Crew. 11959

BRITISH CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

The twenty-fifth Annual General Meeting of the British Chamber of Commerce, Shanghai, will be held at the offices of the Chamber, 27 The Bund (5th floor) on Thursday, April 11, 1940, at 5.15 p.m.

By Order of the Committee

H. F. BAKER.
Secretary.

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CHINA ASSOCIATION

The Annual General Meeting of the China Association (Shanghai Branch) will be held at the offices of the Association, 27 The Bund (5th floor) on Thursday, April 11, 1940, at 5.15 p.m.

By Order of the Committee,

H. F. BAKER.
Secretary.

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(In Voluntary Liquidation)

NOTICE OF RETURN OF SHARE CAPITAL

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a first and final return of capital represented by the issue of One Share of The Wing On Company, Federal Inc. U.S.A. of $10 each, Chinese National Currency, fully paid up, for each share of The Wing On Company (Shanghai) Limited, has been declared in this matter. The same may be received at the Office of The Wing On Company, Federal Inc. U.S.A. Nanking Road, Shanghai or at the Office of The Wing On Company Limited, No. 213 Des Voeux Road Central, Victoria, Hong Kong on Monday, April 15, 1940, or on any subsequent day, except Sunday, between the hours 10 a.m. and 1 p.m. 2 p.m. and 4 p.m.

The Wing On Company Federal Inc., U.S.A. has also declared a dividend of $1 Chinese National Currency per share which has been received by the Liquidator and the same is payable on application to the Liquidator at the places and times above stated.

Upon applying for the above shares and for payment of the above mentioned Dividend, the share certificate (s) and dividend book (s) of The Wing On Company (Shanghai) Limited must be produced.

WILLIAM GOCKSON,
Liquidator.

Shanghai, April 9, 1940. 11918

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ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

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The Annual General Meeting of Members of the Cercle Sportif Français will be held in the Club House on Friday, April 26, 1940 at 6 p.m.

BUSINESS:

Passing of the accounts for 1939
Election of the various Committees
General Business.

Members desirous of bringing forward a resolution on any special matter should send the same in writing to the Secretary at least seven days before the Meeting. (Rule 31)

Members wishing to serve on a Committee are requested to send in their application to the Secretary as much as possible before April 19, 1940 and to mention the Committee which they wish to join.

Only the names of Members requesting so by letter will be put on the lists of the various Sub-Committees.

For the Committee and by Order,

H. A. ANETTE,
Secretary.

Shanghai, April 9, 1940. 11926

THE MISSIONS TO SEAMEN IN SHANGHAI

The Annual Meeting of Subscribers will be held on Thursday, April 18, 1940 at 5.30 p.m. in the Church House, 243 Kiangse Road.

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THE REGISTER OF TRANSFERS will be closed for the above Issues from April 20 to April 30 1939, both days inclusive.

By Order of The Directors,

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Shanghai, April 9, 1940. 11954

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WEATHER, TIME AND TIDE

Meteorological Reports	Apr. 9 16.00	Apr. 9 21.00	Apr. 10 4.00	Apr. 10 9.00
Barometer inches	30.18	30.23	30.14	30.12
at 32 F. (variation for 24 hrs.)	+0.29	+0.15	—0.09	—0.15
at 32 F. (,, ,, 12 hrs.)	—0.05	—0.04	—0.04	—0.11
Wind (direction)	NNW	ESE	SE	SE
,, (miles per hour)	6.8	6.8	8.7	14.3
Temperature (Fahr.)	61.5	46.4	44.1	52.9
Humidity %	36	35	94	69
Nebulosity (0 to 10)	3	0	8	5
Rainfall inches	—	—	—	—

Siccawei Abridged Report April 9	Mean 1940	24 hrs. variation	67 years average
Barometer (mean 4 obs.)	30.23	+0.27	30.01
Temp. Mid. 40.°3 Max. 65.°5	52.°9	—11.°6	54.°5
Total rainfall January 1 to midnight before last (inches)	10.74	—	8.60

Time and Tide	11/4	12/4	13/4	14/4	15/4	16/4	17/4
Sun rises at Shanghai	5.30	5.29	5.28	5.27	5.26	5.25	5.24
Sun sets at Shanghai	18.20	18.20	18.21	18.21	18.22	18.23	18.24
Moon rises at Shanghai	7.36	8.21	9.11	10.04	11.01	12.02	13.05
Moon sets at Shanghai	21.26	22.19	23.12	—	0.02	0.50	1.37
Flood makes Shai. 6 to 18	12.07	12.32	13.04	13.59	15.20	17.10	5.40
Ebb, makes Shai. 6 to 18	17.36	6.00	6.26	7.00	7.50	9.25	11.10
H.W. W'sung Bar 6 to 18	14.05	14.38	14.59	15.49	16.54	6.20	7.44
Ht. above LLW. (feet)	9.05	9.00	8.67	7.89	7.22	7.12	7.30

POST OFFICE NOTICES

The following times apply to the Head Post Office, Szechuen Road Bridge. Earlier posting at Sub-Offices is needed.

THURSDAY, April 11.	Reg.	Ord.
Wenchow	*20.00	7.15
Hongkong and Haiphong	*20.00	8.15
Hongkong and Haiphong	10.30	11.00
Aust. N.Z. Manila and Java Ports	11.30	12.30
Amoy Hongkong Canton	12.00	12.30
Kiangpei offices south and east of Jukao	18.30	19.00
FRIDAY, April 12.		
Japan Korea via Nagasaki	*20.00	7.15
Formosa via Keelung	*20.00	7.30
Foochow via Sankiangkow	x *20.00	7.30
Ninghsien etc. via Chinhai	*20.00	8.00
Tsingtao and Dairen	8.30	9.00
Chefoo and Tientsin	x 9.30	10.00
Tinghai Shenkiamen via Tinghai	9.30	10.00
Kiangpei offices south and east of Jukao	18.30	19.00
Japan H'lulu U.S.A. Canada and Europe via Pacific	A 18.00	20.00
Amoy and Hongkong	19.30	20.00
SATURDAY, April 13.		
Ninghsien etc. via Chinhai	*20.00	8.00
Weihaiwei Chefoo Tientsin	10.00	10.30
Hongkong	10.30	11.00
Nantung	14.30	15.00
Kiangpei offices south and east of Jukao	18.30	19.00
Hongkong Canton Aust. N.Z. and Straits	B 20.00	20.00
Japan Korea via Nagasaki	20.00	20.00

* The night before.
A Parcel mail for Honolulu and U.S.A., closes at 16.00 on 12th.
B Parcel mail for S.S., Gt. Britain and other countries, closes at 16.00 on 13th.
X Provisional time—subject to alterations.
Z Parcel mail only.

Air Mails

Imperial Airways Service per steamer on April 11, at 11.30 a.m. for registered and at 12.30 p.m. for ordinary due London on April 24.
Pan American Airways Service per steamer on April 11, at 11.30 a.m. for registed and at 12.30 p.m. for ordinary due San Francisco on April 23.
Air France per steamer on April 11, at 11.30 a.m. for registered and at 12.30 p.m. for ordinary.
Neth. (K.L.M.) Air Mail Service (Batavia-Naples) per steamer to Hongkong.
Royal Netherlands Indies' Airways K.N.I.L.M. (Saigon-Batavia-Sydney) per steamer to Hongkong. Shanghai-Japan Air Mail Service: daily at 8 p.m.

Domestic Air Mail

Nanking per Shanghai-Nanking Air Line at 9.45 a.m. and 12.00 at Yuhang Road Sub-Office at 9.15 a.m. and 11.30 a.m.
Hwaining Kiukiang and Hankow for Shanghai-Hankow Air Line daily at 10.30 p.m.
Canton per Shanghai-Canton Air Line close at 8.30 p.m. on Sundays and Wednesdays.
Ningsia, Shensi, Szechuen, Yunnan Kweichow, Hupeh (Shasi and west) and west to Hongkong for the Hongkong-Chungking plane.

THE WEATHER

Temperature near Holy Trinity Cathedral Shanghai at hours ending 7 p.m.:—

Yesterday Min. 44.0 Max. 68.0
Same date, 1939 Min. 49.5 Max. 64.0
Rainfall nil.

Temperature at Siccawei:—
Yesterday Min. 40.3 Max. 68.7
Same date, 1939 Min. 49.3 Max. 67.1

State on the morning of the 9th:—High and steady pressure over China: low and unsteady over Japan. South-westerly winds to the north of the Saddles: north-easterly in the South. Fine weather in China.

State on the morning of the 10th:—Cloudy weather. South-easterly breezes. Pressure rather high and steady.

Probabilities, 4.30 p.m. yesterday:—Fine and sandy weather with strong south-westerly to north-westerly winds around Shantung. Fine to cloudy with haze and southerly to westerly winds over our regions. Cloudy to overcast with fresh north-easterly to south-easterly winds over the Eastern Sea to the south of the Saddles.—Siccawei Observatory.

Post Office Notices Continued

Peiping, Tientsin, Tsinan, Tatung, Kaigan, Shanhaikwan, Tsingtao, Tungshan, Shihkiachwang, Chengte, Kaifeng, Taiyuan and Yuncheng by the planes of the Chung Hwa Air Transport Co. daily at 9.30 p.m.

Light Train Mail

Via N.S.R. 8.45 a.m. and 10.30 p.m.
Kiangpei offices north and west of Jukao 8.45 a.m. and 10.30 p.m.
Hangchow 11.30 a.m. and 10.30 p.m.
North Pinghan and Lunghai Line (Chenghsien and east thereof) 8.45 a.m. and 10.30 p.m.
Wuhu, Tatung, Hwaining, Kiukiang and Hankow 8.45 a.m. and 10.30 p.m.
Remarks: For Europe via Siberia:—Mails for Europe and U.S.S.R. via Siberia close on every Monday and Thursday at 8 p.m. for registered and on every Tuesday and Friday at 8 a.m. for ordinary and are despatched per trains via Nanking and Tientsin to connect with the Trans-Siberian trains.

Ocean Mails for Europe and America.

Next steamer mails will be closed as follows:—
Per steamer via Pacific, on April 12.
Per steamer via Suez, on April 14.
Per steamer via Suez on April 16.

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS

King's Daughters Society
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Mr. and Mrs. Martin Little	$20
Mr. and Mrs. W. S. King	25
Mr. and Mrs. C. C. King	10
Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Peters	20
Louis Lienard	5
Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Hopkins	20
Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Cannan	50
J. D. R.	25
Mr. and Mrs. G. E. O. Mayne	10
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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Correspondence for this column should be addressed to the Editor, North-China Daily News Office, 17 The Bund, Shanghai, and to ensure secrecy, marked "Letters to the Editor."

Missionaries: Their Role in China

To the Editor of the
"NORTH-CHINA DAILY NEWS"

SIR,—It is indeed encouraging to learn from a missionary, Mr. Robert C. Fitch, that past relations between Hangchow missionaries and Japanese military authorities have been sincere, open, and based on a sound policy, hence harmonious.

However, not to refute Mr. Fitch's denial of a Domei News allegation, I wish to point out certain inconsistencies among foreign missionaries in China. Mr. Fitch, in the April 10 "North-China Daily News," wrote that "as missionaries, we have several times explained to the Japanese authorities, that it is the desire of our Consular authorities, of our Church authorities, and a strong personal conviction on our part, that our sole work be religious and humanitarian, that we have no right or desire to interfere with or support any kind of political or military policy or action."

It is a known fact that many of the leaders of movements to embargo and boycott Japan in the United States and England are clergymen and missionaries. Is this not a political action?

A missionary recently left Central China, areas under Japanese occupation and on reaching Chungking stated before Chinese authorities that there were only three divisions of Japanese troops in a specified area, and along the Yangtze River, certain cities and villages were absent of Japanese soldiers, practically undefended. Is this not a military action? There is a name for people like these, "spies!"

Mission properties and compounds in many places have actually been used by Chinese troops as fortifications and have cost the lives of many Japanese. Is this not another instance of missions playing an important part in military action?

Mr. Harold E. Fey, held editor of "The Christian Century," recently stated upon arrival in Shanghai that one of his duties was to search out American missionaries in China responsible for steady flow of adverse propaganda against the Japanese. Is this not a frank admission that missionaries are playing an active political role in the Sino-Japanese hostilities?

And in conclusion, to sum up the issue, I need only to quote a frank statement made recently by Mr. A. T. Steele, Far Eastern correspondent for the "Chicago Daily News," before numerous foreign newspapermen . . . words to the effect that with the exception of medical missionaries, almost all of our American missionaries ought to be sent back home. The whole lot are misrepresentative Americans, unfair and hypocrites.

CRUSADER.

Shanghai, Apr. 10.

I.R.C. Racing: Donation to Charity

To the Editor of the
"NORTH-CHINA DAILY NEWS"

SIR,—It gives the stewards of the Shanghai Race Club much pleasure to be able to inform the public that they have received a sum of $36,500 from Dr. T. K. M. Siao (chairman) and the executive of the International Recreation Club, this sum having been obtained for charity from the International Recreation Club's 28th annual race meeting held on March 16, 23, 25 and 30 on the Shanghai Race Course.

As announced before the race meeting the above total is divided as follows:—

To the Shanghai Refugees' Relief Association		$18,250
To the Salvation Army for—		
The Rice Bus Fund	$9,125	
The Waifs' Fund	9,125	18,250
Total		$36,500

Cheques have been issued to the treasurers concerned.

The executive of The International Recreation Club extend their grateful and appreciative thanks to all who gave the race meeting their patronage and support.

C. H. ARNHOLD.
Chairman,
Shanghai Race Club.

Shanghai, Apr. 10.

S.M.C. Elections: Voting to Music

To the Editor of the
"NORTH-CHINA DAILY NEWS"

SIR,—Owing to the length of time ratepayers had to stand today to register their votes in the Council elections, I think it would be a good suggestion if our expensive orchestra was gathered together and instructed to play popular music to enliven the spirits of the weary voters.

One hates to ask the orchestra to do this extra work, but I am perfectly certain that Maestro Paci will be very glad to do his bit towards making a success of this election.

A MUSIC LOVER.

Shanghai, Apr. 10.

Wanted: A Housing Scheme

To the Editor of the
"NORTH-CHINA DAILY NEWS"

SIR,—When the smoke of the election battle is cleared, I would recommend to the bigger firms in Shanghai a housing scheme in the Settlement for the benefit of the local-dollar-earning fraternity.

This scheme will provide all the votes necessary to maintain the *status quo.*

It will also kill off the grasping landlords, whose departure from the scene will go unwept and unhonoured, whilst we will go unstung.

People do not go to stay in the voteless "badlands" for the sheer fun of the thing. It may be mud-huts next.

P. B. PUBLICO.

Shanghai, Apr. 9.

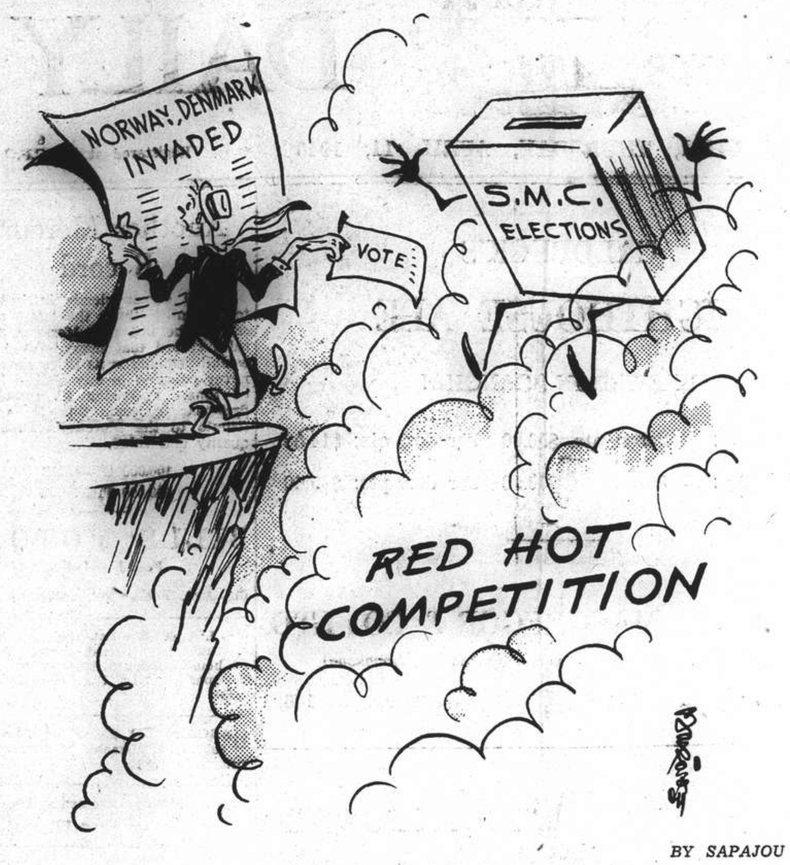
Bus Incident: What Victim Should Do

To the Editor of the
"NORTH-CHINA DAILY NEWS"

SIR,—The incident reported in your today's issue by SURPRISED re the insolence of a Russian police inspector of the S.M.C. should be brought to the attention of the Portuguese Residents' Association by the party affected, if he is a Portuguese.

L. L. LENGTEN.

Shanghai, Apr. 10.



Mr. Shanghailander Distracted?

Japanese Resolved to Stay Out of European War

Latest Developments Cause No Change in Tokyo's Policy; Press Critical of Belligerents' Actions

Tokyo, Apr. 10.

JAPAN'S policy of not becoming involved in the European conflict will not be altered by fresh developments in the war situation, Mr. Yakichiro Suma, spokesman for the Japanese Foreign Office, declared here today.

The Japanese Government, however, would endeavour to safeguard its rights as a neutral "as jealously as ever," he added, pointing out that the demarcation line between belligerents and neutrals in Europe was being "dangerously narrowed."

Germany's action in Scandinavia, the spokesman continued, was so sudden that it had not been intimated "or even hinted" in any official Japanese dispatch.

Major-Gen. Eugen Ott, German Ambassador to Japan, the spokesman said, had called on Mr. Hachiro Arita, Foreign Minister, at 11 o'clock this morning.

Remarking that he had not been informed of the character of the conversations, Mr. Suma stated it was possible that "today's headlines were talked about."

Critical Press Comment

Japan's press today was critical of both Germany and the Allies in commenting upon the latest developments in the European conflict.

All newspapers, however, expressed the belief that Germany's *blitzkrieg* against Norway and Denmark had been made in retaliation for the laying of mines by France and Britain in the territorial waters of Norway.

The belligerents in Europe, the independent "Miyako" and "Yomiuri" newspapers said, were reducing international law and international commitments to "scraps of paper."

Japan, as a neutral, the powerful "Asahi" chain of newspapers declared, must denounce the German invasion of neutral countries as well as a violation of Norway's sovereignty by France and Britain.

Expressing sympathy for the plight of Denmark and Norway, for which they were not responsible themselves, the "Asahi" chain expressed the fear that the spring offensive in Europe might be launched at the expense of the remaining neutrals.

Belligerents as Tiger's

The equally-influential "Nichi-Nichi" chain of newspapers compared the belligerents to a pack of wolves or tigers pouncing upon a flock of defenceless neutral sheep, trampling underfoot the latter's independence and interests.

With the development of the war situation, the "Nichi-Nichi" newspapers said, the danger of Belgium, the Netherlands and other neutrals in the Balkans becoming involved in the conflict was being swiftly increased despite their strong efforts to remain outside the war.

Japan, the nationalistic "Kokumin Shimbun" declared, was not interested in fixing the guilt for the latest extension of the war upon Germany or the Allies, but pointed out that the possibility existed of the European conflict being extended to the Far East in view of the reported plans of Britain and France to carry their blockade against Germany into the Pacific.

The aggravation of the conflict in Europe was blamed by the "Yomiuri Shimbun" upon the tightening of the Allied economic blockade against Germany. "A regular world war is now on," it said.

The fear that Japan may be compelled to abandon her policy of non-involvement in the conflict in the event the United States should join the fray was expressed by the "Hochi Shimbun."

Ruthless Nazi Machine

"Germany's sudden seizure of Denmark and her attack upon Norway, two neutral states, have come as a shock to the entire world and furnish another sign of the ruthlessness of the Nazi machine," the American-owned and managed "Japan Advertiser" said.

"With a matter of hours, another small state has become the victim of aggression and passed under foreign domination," it continued." Now such danger has been visited successively upon Austria, Czechoslovakia and Denmark. Poland was able to resist for some weeks but her fate was sealed too. It seems improbable at this stage that Sweden can continue to cling to her neutrality but it is rather likely that the north will become a new theatre of war in Europe.

"Whatever the developments in the immediate future, the extension of Germany's hand over the north must be reckoned as a serious setback for the Allies. It is one of the major moves of the war which may have a definite bearing on the final outcome," the "Advertiser" declared.—Domei.

Clipper Movements

Manila, Apr. 10.

The China Clipper left Manila for Hongkong today and will return here tomorrow enroute to the United States. On its return flight the aircraft will leave Manila April 13, arriving at San Francisco on April 18. Manila time. The California Clipper is due to arrive here April 15, and will proceed to Hongkong the following day. It will make its return flight to the United States April 19, arriving there on the 24th. Manila time.—United Press.

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Britain's Food Supply Adequate

Minister of Food Makes Reassuring Statement

SPECIAL TO THE "N.C.D.N."

London, Apr. 10.

A reassuring statement on the food position of Great Britain, in view of developments in Scandinavia, was made by Lord Woolton, the Minister of Food

He said: "Since before the war, the Ministry of food had laid its plans in order that we could meet emergencies, so you need have no fear that food supplies will be seriously interfered with.

"Bacon is in ample supply. We have a very large weekly contract with Canada, as will as agreements with Eire and Northern Ireland.

"The picture is also satisfactory as regards butter, we still have plenty for our needs for some time to come Large supplies are coming in from Australia and New Zealand."—Reuter.

Pearl River May Soon Be Fully Opened

End of Restrictions Seen By Japanese Spokesman

Tokyo, Apr. 10.

Existing restrictions upon navigation and trade on the Pearl River in Kwangtung would be lifted "in the not distant future," Mr. Yakichiro Suma, spokesman for the Japanese Foreign Office, declared today.

Japanese authorities in Central China, he added, were also taking measures to hasten the reopening of the Yangtze below Nanking to general navigation, but no definite date of such action could be given.

Mr. Suma pointed out that the Pearl River had already been reopened under some restrictions. He added that he hoped that these would be lifted before long.—Domei.

China Surprised At Nazi Move

Speculation on Reaction Of Russia to Invasion of Scandinavia Widespread

Chungking, Apr. 10.

News of the dramatic suddenness with which the European war has spread to the Scandinavian countries, has taken Chinese circles here by surprise.

Developments in northern Europe during the past few days, however, led to the belief that interest in the European situation was likely to centre on Scandinavia, but the German invasion of Denmark and Norway was totally unexpected.

Chinese official circles are withholding comment, pending receipt of further information.

What obviously will interest Chinese most is what part Soviet Russia is likely to play in future developments.

It is suggested that the European war may now enter a new stage, in which a violent struggle between German and the Allies in the air, at sea and on land may be started soon.

Banner Headlines

The German action against the two Scandinavian countries was splashed in Chinese newspapers under banner headlines this morning.

The press is, however, observing the strictest reserve in its comment on the new developments.

The "Central Daily News," official organ of the Government, declared in an editorial: "The war has now spread to northern Europe. Norway has declared war on Germany. German troops have invaded Denmark. All this took place yesterday. A deadlock in Europe has prevailed for some time. Yesterday's events may break it. With spread of the European war, the situation may be more clarified, and the outcome of the war may be determined at an earlier date."

A vigorous denunciation of Germany's invasion of Denmark and Norway is contained in a leading article of the well-known Chinese Catholic daily, "Yih Shih Pao":

"Germany's invasion of Denmark and Norway is probably due to the following causes:

"1. Tightening of the Allies' naval blockade, as well as difficulty in obtaining supplies over land routes; and

"2. Failure of the peace offensive, particularly after President Roosevelt's statement upon the return of Mr. Sumner Welles (American Under-Secretary of State).

Striking First

Realizing that peace is beyond reach, Germany decided to strike first. But once Germany invaded neutral countries, other neutrals, fearing a possible German invasion, may decide to join the Allies, before a German attack.

"Germany will, therefore, be condemned by world opinion, and her position in the world will be an isolated one. It is even improbable that Germany's allies, like Soviet Russia, Italy and Japan, will continue to support her. The so-called Axis may be dissolved. The future of Germany can be easily predicted. All peace-loving nations in the world should check the aggressors, for the restoration of peace, and protection of the rights of self-preservation and national independence among the nations."—Reuter.

Japanese Delegates to Nanking Ceremony

Diet, Business Men, and Journalists Chosen

Tokyo, Apr. 10.

The selection of nine people's representatives at the official celebrations of the "return" of the "National Government of China" to Nanking was announced here today.

Count Yorinaga Matsudaira, President of the House of Peers, and Mr. Shoju Koyama, speaker of the House of Representatives, will represent the Japanese Diet, while Mr. Yoshiaki Hatta, president of the Chamber of Commerce and Industry of Japan, and Mr. Otokichi Shoji, president of the Toyo Spinning Company, will go to Nanking on behalf of financial circles.

Envoys from various organizations interested in China are Mr. Hidejiro Nagata, former mayor of Tokyo and vice-president of the Far Eastern Association, and Mr. Fusajiro Ichinomiya, a director of the Toa Dobun Kai.

Mr. Tokichi Tanaka, publisher of the "Chugai Shogyo Shimpo," a commercial daily, Mr. Inosuke Furuno, President of the Domei News Agency, and Mr. Kan Kikuchi well-known author and magazine publisher, with represent the journalistic circles of Japan.—Domei.

Finance Advisers Named For Abe Mission

Tokyo, Apr. 10.

Mr. Kazuo Aoki, former Minister of Finance, and Mr. Masaaki Hotta, former Japanese Ambassador to Rome, were elected yesterday to serve as financial and diplomatic advisers to Gen. Nobuyuki Abe Japanese envoy extraordinary and ambassador plenipotentiary during his mission to Nanking.

Their appointments were to be formally announced today.—Domei.

Seventy Years Ago

FROM THE "NORTH-CHINA DAILY NEWS" OF APRIL 11, 1870

A communication relative to the conduct of the Shanghai Fire Companies has been addressed to the Chinese newspapers by a committee of literary gentlemen, in the hope that it might reach the proper authorities. They express themselves as much gratified at the prompt and valuable assistance rendered by foreigners in case of fire, but nevertheless feel obliged to enter their protest against the indiscriminate mode of levying pump assistance practised on those occasions; and beg to suggest that the native system in that respect be adopted, thus doing away with the obnoxious habit of pressing into service those who should be exempt from such indignities.

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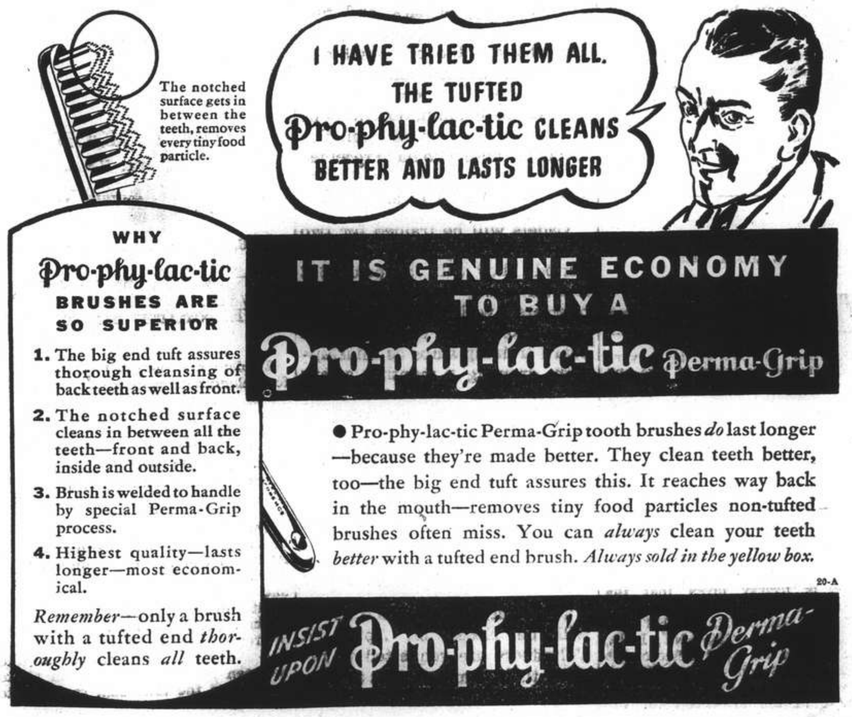
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FROM SHANGHAI FOOTLIGHTS AND FILMS

"Fast and Furious"

As the title signifies (how often do they not) this picture at the Roxy Theatre moves at a rapid pace, with Franchot Tone and Ann Sothern starred, supported by John Miljean, Ruth Hussey and Lee Bowman.

"Vigil at Night"

This moving drama built round a great hospital for children opens at the Cathay Theatre today. Players include Carole Lombard, Brian Aherne, Anne Shirley, Julien Mitchell, Brenda Forbes and Peter Cushing.

"A Chump at Oxford"

Those perennial favourites, Stan Laurel and Oliver Hardy, are back again at the Nanking Theatre, having apparently secured an education. In support are Forrester Harvey and Wilfred Lucas.

"Castle on the Hudson"

Founded on Warden E. Lawes' "20,000 Years in Sing Sing," this murder melodrama comes to the Grand Theatre today—John Garfield and Ann Sheridan in the starring roles, with Pat O'Brien and Burgess Meredith.

Current Films

NANKING.—"A Chump at Oxford."—Stan and Ollie cross the Atlantic in search of the education they missed in their youth, and find themselves at the ancient university of Oxford, where they meet with more laughable mishaps than in any previous picture. Starring Stan Laurel and Oliver Hardy, with Forrester Harvey and Wilfred Lucas. Opens today.

GRAND.—"Castle on the Hudson."—A gripping prison melodrama, founded on Warden E. Lawes' well-known story, "20,000 Years in Sing Sing" and telling in graphic fashion the case-history of one of America's notorious "bad-men's" reactions to prison life. Starring John Garfield, Ann Sheridan and Pat O'Brien, with Burgess Meredith. Opens today.

METROPOL.—"The Invisible Man Returns."—Fantastic and sensation-packed thriller founded on H. G. Welles' famous creation, and showing a terror-stricken city at the mercy of a condemned murderer who is all the more dangerous because he is invisible. With Sir Cedric Hardwicke, Vincent Price, Nan Grey and John Sutton. Opens today.

CATHAY.—"Vigil in the Night."—An interesting and deeply moving drama built round a great hospital for children, where the nursing service have their backs to the wall fighting a serious epidemic. Starring Carole Lombard, Brian Aherne and Anne Shirley, with Julien Mitchell. Opens today.

ROXY.—"Fast and Furious."—A detective, his wife and a New York newspaperman are involved in this smart comedy-detective-romance, which stars Franchot Tone and Ann Sothern. The complications take place in America and Europe with suoordinate players, such as Ruth Hussey, Jonn Milian and Lee Bowman having the more prominent roles. Reviewed yesterday.

CAPITOL.—"Man's Heritage."—Action-packed tale of life at an American military academy interwoven with a a father and son drama that will bring a lump to your throat. With Jackie Cooper, Freddie Bartholomew, Tim Holt, Henry Hull, Andy Devine and Gene Reynolds.

RIALTO.—"Jesse James." — Gripping and dramatic life-story of the most colourful outlaw who ever lived filmed entirely in technicolour. With Tyrone Power, Henry Fonda, Nancy Kelly, Randolph Scott and Henry Hull.

GOLDEN GATE. — "Coast Guard." — Thrill-packed drama of America's Coast Guard service that serves as the background for a grudge fight between two former "buddies" over the same girl. With Randolph Scott, Frances Dee, Ralph Bellamy, Walter Connolly and Warren Hymer.

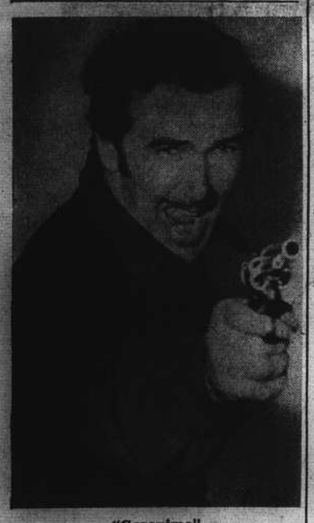
UPTOWN.—"I Stole a Million."—Starring George Raft and Claire Trevor with Dick Foran, Henry Armetta and Victor Jory. A story of a man who really stole a million.

Films Coming

"Brother Rat and a Baby."—Detailing the further adventures of the trio who made such a hit in "Brother Rat" and introducing Eddie Albert's mischievous baby as the focal point for another budget of hilarious mishaps. With Priscilla Lane, Wayne Morris, Jane Bryan, Eddie Albert, Jane Wyman, Ronald Reagan and Peter B. Good (Brother Mouse). Coming to the **CATHAY.**

"Everything Happens at Night."—Gay romance on the picturesque slopes of the Alps develops into swift-moving drama as two newspaper reporters uncover a story that sets political assassins on the trail of a famous refugee. Starring Sonja Henie, with Ray Milland, Robert Cummings, Maurice Moscovich, Leonid Kinskey, Alan Dinehart and Fritz Feld. Coming to the **GRAND.**

"Geronimo."—Thrilling scenes of tense drama highlight this colourful and exciting tale of the fierce Redskin chieftain who defied the whole force of America to stage the last great Indian uprising. With Preston Foster,



"Geronimo"

Preston Foster, starred, comes soon to the Nanking Theatre

Ellen Drew, Andy Devine, William Henry, Ralph Morgan, Gene Lockhart, Marjorie Gateson, Kitty Kelly, Monte Blue and Pierre Watkin. Coming to the **NANKING.**

"Four Wives."—The same stars who were in "Four Daughters" are here again enthralling film fans the world over in another heart-warming story of the delightfully human Lemp family, which show the four girls' reactions to married life. With Priscilla Lane, Rosemary Lane, Lola Lane, Gale Page, Claude Rains, Jeffrey Lynn, Eddie Albert, Frank McHugh, Dick Foran and John Garfield. Coming to the **METROPOL.**

"The Saint's Double Trouble." — The Saint is coming back—and he has a double, head of a daring gang of jewel thieves to whom murder is a pastime. An Egyptian mummy provides mystery to enhance the story's other thrills. With George Sanders, Helene Whitney, Jonathan Hale, Bela Lugosi, Donald MacBride and John F. Hamilton. Coming to the **GRAND.**

"They Shall Have Music."—The glorious playing of the world's greatest violinist dominates this down-to-earth tale of a ragged school orchestra that keeps the kiddies off the streets, and of the world famous musician who comes to their rescue and plays for them when the outfit is about to be disbanded for lack of public support. With Jascha Heifetz, Andrea Leeds, Joel McCrea, Gene Reynolds, Walter Brenan, Potter Hall and Terry Kilburn. Coming to the **CATHAY.**

"Abe Lincoln in Illinois."—Robert E. Sherwood's moving epic drama of Lincoln's life struggle up to the time he set out for Washington to assume the presidency, with the great actor whose fame is associated with the role playing the part of the Great Emancipator. Starring Raymond Massey, with Gene Lockhart, Ruth Gordon, Mary Howard, Harvey Stephens, Alan Baxter and Dorothy Tree. Coming to the **NANKING.**

"The Lady Vanishes."—A thrilling drama, produced by Gainsborough, released through M.G.M. and directed by Alfred Hitchcock. The cast includes such notable stars as Maragaret Lockwood, Paul Lukas, Dame May Whitty, Cecil Parker, Michael Redgrave and Basil Radford. Suspense, fear, mystery and surprise are integral parts of the absorbing plot. Coming next to the **ROXY.**

"Hotel Imperial." — Spies, lovers, fugitives battle for existence in a maelstorm of hate and fear as contending armies capture and recapture the frontier town in which five interesting people seek refuge during the days of the Great War. Starring Isa Miranda, Ray Milland, with Gene Lockhart, J. Carrol Naish and Henry Victor. Coming to the **METROPOL.**

"The Hardys Ride High."—Sixth of the popular Hardy Family series, this picture stars Mickey Rooney and Lewis Stone once again in roles which have made them famous in the last two years. The story of this picture deals with the Hardy's when they suddenly acquired a $2,000,000 inheritance. Supporting Rooney and Stone are Fay Holden, Cecilia Parker, Sarah Haden, Ann Rutherford and Virginia Grey. Coming to the **ROXY.**

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ROXY.—Night club, Jack, Charles and James.

Lilian Gish Comes Back

One of the most interesting items of recent film news is that Lilian Gish is about to come back to the screen under the auspices of D. W. Griffith. Her re-appearance will be in "Crusade," a picture which Griffith intends to make as a history of the movies from his point of view. The names of Griffith and Gish must be permanently associated in film history. The director made the young actress, and the young actress in "Birth of a Nation," "Intolerance," "Orphans of the Storm" and other silent pictures, helped to make the fortunes and reputation of the director.

Only once since the films ceased to be silent has Miss Gish appeared on the screen. This was in a version of Arnold Bennett's story "Buried Alive," and with this appearance she was not at all satisfied. Those who saw the picture will find it difficult to agree with her dissatisfaction, as, unquestionably, she gave a very delightful performance.

Farren's Floorshow

With the change of floorshow at Farren's tomorrow night, the Kulpa Sisters, the only feminine adagio trio to have appeared in Shanghai in a decade, will present one of their strongest numbers (no pun intended), and one which should take the house by storm. Supporting are Orlowsky, whose classical dances are par excellence—she never fails to please. The duos, Svetlanoff and Musanoff, in their respective forte, provide delightful contrast, each distinctive in style.

Mike, and his Ten Boys are rated as the best band of its size in Shanghai, having no trouble with the most difficult classical composition or the liveliest jazz from America. Several new members make them to bright unit which they are.

Popular Veteran

The popularity of Mr. Leonid Rosen, star comedian and organizer of the Russian Light Opera, whose 30th anniversary of his stage career will be celebrated at the Lyceum Theatre on Tuesday, April 16, has never been better demonstrated than by the sale of tickets for this performance. Within three days of the opening of booking all seats had been sold.

Mr. Rosen will appear in "Fire Goddess," a show in which he will specially be able to illustrate his exceptional histrionic ability in company with the splendid performers who make up the rest of this very talented company.

Impersonator

Ferry Guzza nightly at D. D.'s is putting on one of his finest impersonations and, judging by the laughter that he causes, one is inclined to say that it is his most popular turn. Untitled, it might be suggested in future to style it, "From Boudoir to Bath"—home from the ball milady proceeds to disrobe, all the while smoking her cigarette. Ferry's pantomime makes it quite clear, even to the uninitiated, just which article of clothing she is removing, and her difficulties in taking it off. Meanwhile Teddy, with running comment, emphasizes his partner's troubles. A number not to be missed.

Jessfield Entertainer

The Jessfield Club is featuring nightly, that sparkling entertainer, Lilly Flohr, supported by the smart trio composing the band, Boder, Havsky and Barten. Miss Flohr has a repertoire of Continental flavour much to the liking of patrons, who usually demand encores. She has personal manner of securing the sympathy of her audiences as soon as she appears on the floor. The orchestra complement harmoniously.

Lillian Russell's Family

The picture which Twentieth Century Fox is making on Lillian Russell, the famous American singer, promises to be a fairly comprehensive review of her life. Her family will be included, and the part of her father will be played by Ernest Truex, a very capable actor of whom too little has been seen recently, and who was once a favourite on the London stage. Lillian Russell's three sisters will be played by three rising starlets, Alice Armand, Elise Knox and Joan Valerie.

Then there will be the actress's two "sweethearts," to be played by Henry Fonda and Don Ameche. Also Diamond Jim Brady, who played such an important part in Lillian Russell's life, will be impersonated by Edward Arnold. Weber and Fields, who were famous comedians in Lillian Russell's day, whose musical theatre was then New York's main entertainment centre, will appear in the film as themselves. In addition to all these names the cast will include Warren William and Helen Westley.

Importance of Being A Good Director

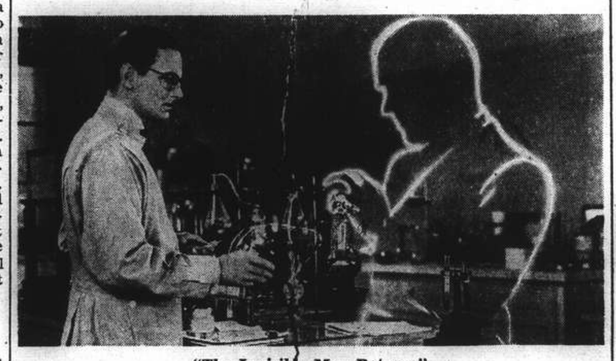
Ernst Lubitsch's "Shop Round the Corner"

Going to the pictures is something of a hazardous enterprise unless one is of those who don't very much care what they see so long as they sit in a cinema and look at the screen. In the first-place, producers, renters and exhibitors combine to assure all that each and every film is the greatest and most entertaining ever made and all the posters suggest thrills of the first magnitude. Even the names of the stars are not infallibly helpful. Stars may be well or ill directed and the results of bad direction may be very disappointing.

But there do remain certain fairly safe guides, and probably the safest of all is the name of the director. And, year in, year out, probably the safest director of all is Ernst Lubitsch This is not to say that other directors do not maintain a high standard. One thinks at once of half a dozen whose work is always good. But Lubitsch has been at it for nearly twenty years and it would be difficult to think of one bad picture, silent or sound, that he has made in all that time.

Ubiquitous James Stewart

The great director's very latest is "The Shop round the Corner," starring Margaret Sullavan and the well nigh ubiquitous James Stewart. This has already earned the highest praise from the American trade press, and, in advance, one has little doubt that the praise is deserved. The cast includes Frank Morgan, Joseph Schildkraut, Sara Haden and Inez Courtney. These are good names, and one may be sure that Lubitsch has not wasted any of them. One of the marks of a good director is good casting and lack of waste. Lubitsch never wastes a word or a gesture. That is why his films are always good entertainment as well as good art..



"The Invisible Man Returns"

Sensational, exciting and thrilling, this peculiar picture opens at the Metropol today—Sir Cedric Hardwicke and Vincent Price.

"Mary of Nazareth"

Mr. Cecil de Mille's announcement of a film on the subject of Mary, Mother of Jesus, has presented him with an obvious problem. It was the producer's original intention to call his picture "Queen of Queens," a title suggested a sequel to "King of Kings," which Mr. de Mille made some years ago. But this title has been changed and the one selected at the moment is "Mary of Nazareth."

The problem is that of casting the title rôle. The selective mind jumped at once for Miss Norma Shearer, but there were difficulties of contract in the way. Other selections included Madeleine Carroll, Olivia de Havilland, Elissa Landi and Frances Dee. But Mr. de Mille and his advisers seem to be of opinion that it might be better in the circumstances to engage an actress hitherto unknown, and so avoid any suggestion of identifying the personality with that of a recognized film star.

One understands the dilemma. In making such a picture there is an obvious danger of giving offence in many quarters. A suggestion of something like anonymity might be the best way of avoiding this danger. But the producer is in no great hurry, as he has one or two other jobs of casting which must be settled before he starts work on the Biblical subject.

Fox Follies of 1940

At the Brer Fox nightly, the Fox Follies present six smart items, including three ensembles. It is a toss which is the better the tango or the mechanical dolls as a matter of fact the choice is optional among those attending. Alla's rope-skipping tap dance is outstanding among the single turns. The programme is of such general excellence that it seems certain that at least one ensemble will be repeated on the new bill. Alex and His Jam Session, now in their third week, go from strength to strength, and their music has met with full approval of patrons.

"The Lady Vanishes"

Paul Lukas strongly supports soon at the Roxy Theatre.

Piano Recital at Lyceum Theatre on Wednesday

M. Paci and three of his pupils, supported by the Municipal Orchestra, will appear on the concert stage next week—(l.-r.)—Miss Leyda Pezzini, Miss Mary Shen, Miss Rosa Schiffmann and the Maestro himself.

Max Malini, Master Magician

Those who have seen Max Malini perform once will remember him always. Easily the world's foremost magician, he ha sperformed before four kings of England, four presidenst of the United States and innumerable rulers and other distinguished personalities. In China he gave a command performnce in 1913 before the first Preisdent of the Chinese Republc, Yuan Shih-kai, and in 1937 just before the outbreak of the Sino-Japanese hostilitise another similar performance in Nanking before Gen. Chiang Kai-shek.

Some 55 years ago Malani, then a boy of twelve living in New York's East Side, chose for himself the career of conjurer. His natural talent first attracted the attention of Herman the Great, magician extraordinary of his day, who advised Max to stay in close work and perfect his technique for more intimate business. Today Malini performs trck after trick within several feet of his audience with such polish, and effortless ease as few in his profession can hope to equal.

For 30 years Malini has been cirling the globe. He has visited Shanghai many times in the last decade and is here agan after he toured the East for the last two years, playing in India, Manlia, Singapore, Java, Siam, French Indo-China and Hongkong.

He will appear at Park Hotel during dinner dances for a limited engagement commencing Saturday night.

Fredric March to Return

Fredric March is one of those actors who divides his time between the screen and the stage. Recently all his time has been given to the stage, and his last film was "A Star is Born." Of late months he has made a great hit on the New York boards in "The American Way." Bu Mr. Cecil B. de Mille is trying to lure him back to Hollywood to take up the leading rôle in "Northwest Mounted Police." Mr. March and Mr. de Mille have worked together before and no doubt if financial terms can be arranged, March will soon be seen again on the screen.

"Northwest Mounted Police" will probably turn out to be a highly expensive production, at any rate so far as salary list is concerned. The cast will include Joel McCrea, Madeleine Carroll, and Robert Preston. But Mr. de Mille is not content to stop at that. As well as making overtures to Fredric March, he is trying to persuade Marlene Dietrich to do one more rough-riding act and repeat her success of "Destry Rides Again."

French Club Dance

Another excellent entertainment programme is being arranged for the dinner dance to be held at the French Club on Saturday.

The Largo trio will give two numbers, a "Bacchanalia" and a Chinese dance, while fresh from her success in the Russian Ballet Nina Kojevnikova will entertain with two dances, Czardas and a Hindoo dance, and Olympia Elnik with a rhumba will round out the floor show.

"Siege" at the Cathay

"Siege," RKO Pathe's short subject presenting exclusive pictures of the bombardment of Warsaw, was filmed with the full co-operation of military and civil authorities in the beleaguered city.

Julien Bryan, cameraman for the film, ells how Stefan Starzynski, mayor of Warsaw and one of the heroic figures of the siege, realized the importance of getting to the outside world a documentary record of the Polish struggle. Bryan was the only photographer in Warsaw, and Starzynski told him:

"The rest of us must stay, but you—you must finally get out with your pictures. Your pictures may prove to be of real importance—the world must know what has happened here."

Warsaw's mayor stayed and, but Bryan got his films out of the city after it was completely surrounded, and hrough the Nazi army lines. He will never reval how they were taken out of the country, but it is certain that German officials made sure the pictures were not in his personal luggage.

An amazing feat of pictorial journalism, "Siege" reaches the Cathay screen today, uncensored by military authorities, uncoloured by foreign editing.

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THE SPORTS PAGE

Many Watch Training Work For Saturday's Races

Albanylight's Good Form Wins Continued Support; Joylight Not Impressive

By "Chino"

THERE was a very large attendance yesterday morning watching the ponies at work, and though it was a little too cold for standing about in comfort, the east wind blowing made the hot coffee for which the club is noted, more comforting than ever. Among the "Y" class ponies that were at work, Doc put up a nice 1¼ mile with his trainer in the saddle. His full time was 2.53.4, last quarter 31.1 Cherrylight, going alone, did the last mile of his 1¼ mile in 2.17, last quarter 31. Fancylight and Ebonylight going together took 3.05 over their 1¼ mile, with the last quarter in 32. Merrylight, going alone, did the same time for a similar distance, but came home the last quarter of it in 31.

Frostylight and Flyinglight together covered the 1¼ mile in 2.58.2, with the last quarter 30.2, Flyinglight finishing very strongly. Joylight went slower and I did not like his finish.

Daintylight seemed to finish a bit tired at the end of his mile done in 2.19.2, last quarter 32. Vim with jockey up went a mile in 2.15 last quarter 30 or a fraction inside. He finished up alongside Flyinglight, making this latter's finish look the more attractive of the two.

White Parade Out

L. H. Wade was up on White Parade, I think he went 1¼ mile, his last 3/4 mile was 1.42, last quarter 31.1, Lore Fels who has been renamed Optimist went a distance with J. Pote-Hunt riding, doing the last mile in 2.26.2, last quarter 32.2; he is still very much on the heavy side. Same rider was up on Magic Circle taking him 1½ mile in company, doing the last mile in 2.23.3, last quarter 33.2, moving well at the finish. Rain, owner up, did his last mile in 2.17.2, last quarter 31.

C. Encarnacao was up on Democratic Prince, and also on Bachelor Prince. On the former he did an attractive mile in 2.14.4, last quarter 31.4, and on the other a similar distance in 2.16.3, last quarter also 31.4.

The Australian Gallops

Blue Grass did a steady mile, taking 2.11.2, over it, with last quarter 29.1. Midnight Star did not finish her mile too well when doing the last quarter in 29.3, full time for the mile being 2.07.2. White Peer with A. A. White up did one mile in 2.03.4, last quarter 29.4.

Jeb Stuart went 1¼ mile, with last mile in 2.06 last quarter 27.2, finishing well. Albanylight was given a steady 1¼ mile which was covered in 2.41.3, last quarter 26.4, answering the whip and hard riding at the finish most attractively. His last week's running may not prove to be his best effort, and a surprise from him may yet come.

Soldier did one mile in 2.04, last quarter 28.3. Fremantlelight and Adelaidelight did a similar distance together in 2.03.3, last quarter 28.3. Entries all round for Saturday are good, and an interesting afternoon's racing may be looked for.

Handicap Bowling Championship

Miss Hykes Takes Lead; Best Single Scored by Henningsen

Scoring a fine triple of 636 with a handicap of 30, Miss Hykes gained leadership in the Shanghai Singles Handicap Championship yesterday at the Shanghai Race Club. The leader aggregated a 6-game total of 1230. W. N. Gray, with a handicap of 213, took second place by countering a triple of 623 for a grand total of 1,231.

Third place was taken by Muller with 1,229 while Kimball, who finished 47th in the first round, made a big jump with a score of 871. He was in most consistent form, getting three steady singles of 222, 225 and 224, including a handicap of 29. Kimball's aggregate for six games read 1,214. Cochran ran fifth, being four pins behind.

The highest single was chalked up by Henningsen, who rolled 247 in his third game with a handicap of 28 pins.

The three and final will take place this Saturday at the Columbia Country Club alleys.

Following are the results to date:—

Miss Hykes	219 214 205	638		1230
Gray, W. N.	206 202 211	623		1231
Muller	189 205 195	589		1229
Kimball	222 225 224	671		1214
Cochran	195 173 201	570		1210
Mrs. Eisenhut	174 231 231	636		1200
Williams	229 197 201	597		1199
Mrs. Collaco	178 204 190	573		1194
Bresnicki	194 178 199	569		1184
Maitland	171 191 230	567		1183
Boles	183 218 187	635		1179
Judd	187 232 210	644		1178
Mrs. Gelbel	183 190 181	571		1172
Swan	164 150 210	524		1154
Mrs. D. Nunes	144 214 158	516		1149
Huggett	136 209 184	529		1130
Cooper	188 [illegible]	[illegible]		1130
Mrs. Lamneck	167 200 211	578		1138
Livingston	188 201 189	578		1131
Mrs. Bristow	210 191 164	565		1130
Watton	175 162 207	544		1129
Mrs. Sobel	161 174 195	530		1126
Willis	175 212 187	574		1121
Cone	201 196 204	601		1120
Rozier	181 203 206	590		1119
Parry	177 194 209	580		1115
Mrs. Bourne	158 205 206	569		1115
Eisenhut	163 224 211	598		1114
Mrs. Ryan	180 214 199	593		1111
Mrs. Kwok	211 192 171	574		1109
James	163 170 170	503		1107
Ashley	183 180 182	545		1106
Belknap	179 187 187	553		1106
Souter	171 182 181	544		1105
Miss McIntyre	153 183 173	508		1101
Kohnert	140 207 191	538		1100
Lamb	178 165 167	510		1091
Mrs. Schmid	159 217 204	611		1095
Fiori	179 190 159	528		1094
Mrs. Gregor	152 206 211	569		1092
Brunetti	172 209 191	572		1085
Schmid	157 178 172	507		1084
Mrs. Fischer	165 223 199	587		1081
Gilbert	165 164 162	491		1063
Bolliger	181 192 156	529		1063
Gonsalves	207 148 189	544		1052
Chantural	170 183 171	524		1061
Gray, J.	177 205 186	568		1061
Henningsen	199 179 247	625		1079
Mrs. Bojesen	177 202 149	528		1078
Madar	148 184 173	505		1078
Mrs. W. H. Mortimer	178 187 171	536		1075
Smith, R. W.	173 178 143	494		1074
Dolinsek	149 163 157	469		1066
Jenszen	155 181 181	517		1069
Berkovitch	183 140 188	511		1062
Bordwell	196 208 178	582		1060
Dalton	159 175 194	528		1057
Katz	168 160 146	474		1049
Mrs. Gray	176 198 191	565		1048
Hilden	171 167 144	482		1044
Mrs. Dalton	153 186 138	477		1043
Mrs. Swan	171 180 168	519		1042
Uhlinger	179 158 200	534		1036
Messersmith	185 189 151	511		1035
Lurton	194 169 173	536		1011
Neumann	197 189 183	529		1002
Mrs. Neal	159 164 174	497		997
Mosseler	164 155 177	496		988
Mrs. H. Mortimer	164 149 145	458		978
Huegl	154 145 153	452		930

Annual Polo Meeting On April 18

By "The Chaser"

The Annual General Meeting of the Members of the Shanghai Polo Club will be held in the Shanghai Race Club, Grand Stand Building, Room B 1, third floor, at 6 p.m. on Thursday, April 18. Members desirous of serving on the Committee for the ensuing year or wishing to bring forward any resolutions are required to give notice thereof to the Hon. Secretary J. C. Greig, not later than April 15. The meeting will deal with the:

1. Election of President;
2. Statement of Accounts for the year ended December 31, 1939;
3. Election of Committee for the ensuing year;
4. Other business which may come before the meeting.

Scottish Regional Football Results

London, Apr. 10.

Following are the results of Scottish west section fixtures played in Regional League Association football matches yesterday: Celtic 4, Clyde 1; St. Mirren 1, Queen of South 1.—Reuter.

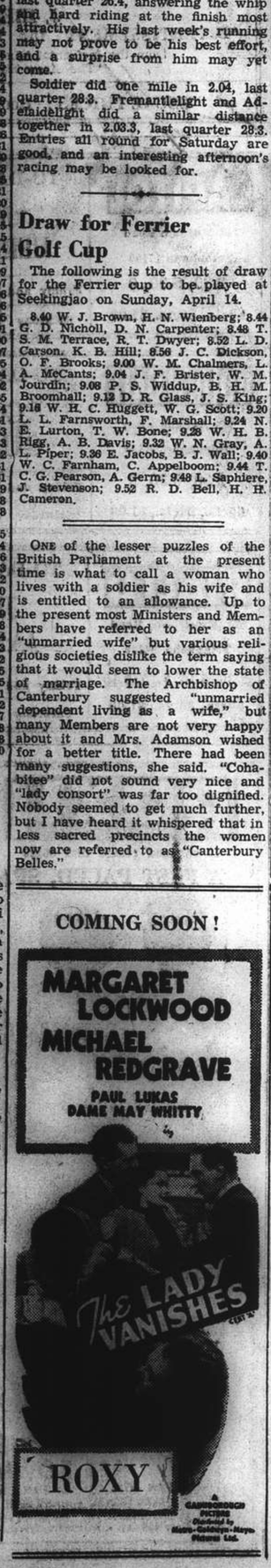
Draw for Ferrier Golf Cup

The following is the result of draw for the Ferrier cup to be played at Seekingjao on Sunday, April 14.

8.40 W. J. Brown, H. N. Wienberg; 8.44 G. D. Nicholl, D. N. Carpenter; 8.48 T. S. M. Terrace, R. T. Dwyer; 8.52 L. D. Carson, K. B. Hill; 8.56 J. C. Dickson, O. F. Brooks; 9.00 W. M. Chalmers, L. A. McCants; 9.04 J. F. Brister, W. M. Jourdin; 9.08 P. S. Widdup, B. H. M. Broomhall; 9.12 D. R. Glass, J. S. King; 9.16 W. H. C. Huggett, W. G. Scott; 9.20 L. L. Farnsworth, F. Marshall; 9.24 N. E. Lurton, T. W. Bone; 9.28 W. H. B. Rigg, A. B. Davis; 9.32 W. N. Gray, A. L. Piper; 9.36 E. Jacobs, B. J. Wall; 9.40 W. C. Farnham, C. Appelboom; 9.44 T. C. G. Pearson, A. Germ; 9.48 L. Saphiere, J. Stevenson; 9.52 R. D. Bell, H. H. Cameron.

One of the lesser puzzles of the British Parliament at the present time is what to call a woman who lives with a soldier as his wife and is entitled to an allowance. Up to the present most Ministers and Members have referred to her as an "unmarried wife" but various religious societies dislike the term saying that it would seem to lower the state of marriage. The Archbishop of Canterbury suggested "unmarried dependent living as a wife," but many Members are not very happy about it and Mrs. Adamson wished for a better title. There had been many suggestions, she said. "Cohabitee" did not sound very nice and "lady consort" was far too dignified. Nobody seemed to get much further, but I have heard it whispered that in less sacred precincts the women now are referred to as "Canterbury Belles."

COMING SOON!



Like Swallows in Flight

Double divers, Patty Robinson (top) performs a swan dive and Betty Jo Dahl a back dive in perfect harmony at the Fairmont Pool in San Francisco.

TRAINING GALLOPS

IN fine weather on a fast track early yesterday morning, Shanghai's race ponies went through their training gallops in preparation for Saturday's 4th Extra Race Meeting at the S.R.C. The times recorded were:

(1st Class Ponies)

	¼m.	½m.	¾m.	1m.	1¼m.	1½m.	Last ¼
Bachelor Prince, C. Encarnacao	36.3	1.12.3	1.44.3	2.16.3			32
National Beauty, Boy	38	1.14.3	1.48	2.20			33
Carnival, Boy	36	1.06.3	1.40				31.2
Fleeting Bow, H. P. Chanson	40	1.17	1.49.3	2.22			32.2
Don Enrico, C. G. Jack	42.3	1.19	1.51.3	2.23			31.2
Flyinglight, Boy	38	1.13.3	1.46.3	2.16.3			30
Danbury, Chen Poo	38.2	1.15	1.49	2.21			32
Cherrylight, Boy	36.3	1.12	1.45	2.17			32
White Parade, L. H. Wade	38	1.15	1.50	2.23	2.54		31.3
Mr. Bubbins, L. H. Wade	37.3	1.13	1.46.3	2.19.3			33
Merrylight, Boy	38	1.14.3	1.48.2	2.20			31.3
Daintylight, Boy	39	1.14	1.48.3	2.19			32.2
Optimists, late Lorefels, JPH	37	1.14	1.56	2.33.3	3.08	3.40	32
Frostylight, Boy	38	1.13.3	1.46.3	2.16.3			30
Don Blanco, Boy	42.3	1.19	1.51.2	2.23			31.3
Vim, G. P. Gram	37	1.13	1.46	2.15.3			29.3
Democratic Prince, C. Encarnacao	35.3	1.10.3	1.42.4	2.15.2			33.3
Busted Straight, S. A. Judah	36.3	1.12.3	1.44.3	2.16			31.2
Un Un Un, Boy	37	1.13.1	1.56	2.33.3	3.08	3.40	32
Doc, Boy	37.3	1.13.3	1.49	2.22	2.54.3		32.3
Rain, Mrs. Liddell	37	1.12.3	1.46.2	2.17.3			31.1

(2nd Class Ponies)

Black Pirate, Boy	41	1.20.2	1.56	2.28.2			32.2
Busted Contract, Boy	37.3	1.15	1.47	2.19			32
Don Pedro, Boy	41	1.17	1.49	2.20.3			31.3
Fancylight, Boy	40	1.21	1.59	2.33	3.05		32
Goldie, Boy	37	1.12	1.44.3	2.17.3			33
Going Slow, Mrs. Liddell	40	1.17	1.51	2.23.3			32.3
Little Joe, Chen Poo	37	1.11	1.44	2.16			32
Loch Maree, R. H. Robertson	37.3	1.12	1.46	2.18			32
Fiery Guy, late Merry Guy, C. Encarnacao	41	1.19	1.53	2.25			32
Fiery Admiral, late Merry Admiral, C. Encarnacao	39	1.14	1.48	2.20			32
Kentucky, P. L. Chiu	40	1.17	1.50	2.22			32
Haiphong, G. P. Gram	38.3	1.15.3	1.49	2.21			32
Hangchow, Boy	35.3	1.09	1.44				32
White Birthday, Boy	38	1.13.3	1.46.3	2.18			31.2
Quick Change, A. C. Kew	39	1.15.3	1.50	2.23			33
Playboy, P. Y. Vong	41	1.18.3	1.53	2.25			32
Phantom, C. G. Jack	34	1.07	1.39.2				32.2
National Party, P. Y. Vong	38.3	1.15	1.48.3	2.20.3			32
Iloilo, P. L. Chiu	37	1.12.3	1.45.3	2.18			32.2
Ebonylight, Boy	41	1.21	1.59	2.33	3.05		32
Lal Golab, G. P. Gram	37.3	1.14	1.46.3	2.18.3			32

(3rd Class Ponies)

Fusilier, L. H. Wade	38	1.14	1.47	2.18.3			32.3
Merchant Prince, S. A. Judah	39	1.14	1.48	2.20			32
Fiery Kindman, late Merry Kingman, C. Encarnacao	38	1.12.3	1.46	2.18.3			32.3
Fiery Christmas, late Merry X'mas, C. Encarnacao	39	1.15	1.50	2.23			33
Wet Morn, Boy	41.3	1.19	1.51	2.23.2			32.2
Second Thoughts, Boy	38.3	1.15	1.50	2.22.3			32.3
Sandy, G. Renner	38	1.14	1.51	2.25			34
Romford, R. D. Parkin	39.2	1.15.2	1.49	2.22			33
Red Ike, Boy	35	1.11	1.43	2.16			33
Primroseray, A. Noodt	36	1.10	1.44	2.16			32
Purpleray, A. Noodt	38	1.15	1.49	2.21			32
Port Bradda, E. Kermode	38	1.14.3	1.49.2	2.23			33.3
Neptune, Boy	39.3	1.15.3	1.49	2.22			33
National City, S. Wong	39.3	1.18	1.53	2.26			33
Bye Bye, late National Sport, Boy	41	1.18.2	1.53	2.24			31
National Union, P. Y. Vong	63	1.12.3	1.47.3	2.22	2.55		33
Man O'Zest, J. Pote Hunt	37.3	1.13	1.47	2.19.3			32.3
Fruitylight, Boy	42	1.19	1.54	2.27			33
Spotted Sand, Boy	39	1.16	1.50	2.23			33
Sunnylight, Boy	42	1.19	1.54	2.28.2			32.2
Pivot Boy, Mrs. Liddell	36.3	1.12.3	1.49	2.24	2.58		34
Tungstenlight, Boy	41	1.18.2	1.54	2.26			32

(4th Class Ponies)

Army Patrol, ?	41	1.18.2	1.53	2.25			32
National Inspection, P. Y. Vong	38	1.15	1.49.3	2.21.3			32
Brigadier, Boy	38	114	1.47.2	2.20			32.3
Moonshine, A. H. Laidlaw	38	1.15	1.50	2.23			33
Grey Snake, J. C. Liang	36.3	1.11	1.44	2.16			32
King's Liberty, P. L. Chiu	37.3	1.14	1.48	2.22			34
Nearco, H. M. R. Hodgman	35	1.11	1.43.2	2.16.2			33
National Force, Boy	38.3	1.15	1.48.2	2.21			32.3
Tiddly Winks, Boy	39	1.17	1.54	2.28			34
The Sketch, Boy	38	1.15.3	1.50	2.22.3			32.3
Zealous Chap, Boy	38	1.13.3	1.47.3	2.20			32.2
Mayfair, Boy	39	1.17	1.54	2.28.3			34.3

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Race	Placed Dogs 1st	2nd	Forecast Pool $5 Dividends	$2 Dividends	Course Double Events
1	4	6	149.70	59.90	$2 D/Events
2	1	3	172.10	68.80	Race 1-2 $149.00
3	3	6	40.10	16.00	,, 2-3 $128.20
4	1	5	271.00	108.40	,, 3-4 $ 78.20
5	3	1	60.00	24.00	,, 4-5 $176.30
6	3	1	126.40	50.50	,, 5-6 $ 36.20
7	1	6	213.70	85.50	,, 6-7 $135.10
8	5	3	242.90	97.10	,, 7-8 $225.20
9	3	1	94.70	37.80	,, 8-9 $ 99.10
10	5	1	110.20	44.00	,, 9-10 $ 45.90
11	3	4	107.20	42.80	,, 10-11 $ 34.60
12	2	6	68.10	27.20	,, 11-12 $ 44.70

Last Night's Highest Dividends:

$5 Win Forecast Race No. 4 dog No. 1-5 $271.00

$2 Course Double Events Races 7/8 dog No. 1-5 $225.20

$250,000 Prize to Hongkong Lady

Drew MacMoffat in Irish Sweep on Grand National; Had Refused Offer

"Mrs. Ruttonjee is the sole holder of the ticket which won $250,000 in the Irish Sweep and she will not share the prize money with anyone. "Every member of the family had a ticket."

This statement was made by Mr. J. H. Ruttonjee, principal of Messrs. Ruttonjee and Sons and managing director of the Hongkong Brewery and Distillery Ltd., whose wife drew MacMoffat in the Irish Sweep Stake on the Grand National, says the Hongkong "Telegraph."

MacMoffat ran second in the race. Dublin cabled that the holders of the first prizes in the two Sweep Stakes, valued at $480,000 Hongkong currency, are in Canada and the United States.

In addition to Mrs. Ruttonjee's second prize—the first winning ticket in any Irish Sweep to come to Hongkong—a ticket holder in Ireland also drew MacMoffat.

Offered £1,150

Mr. Ruttonjee revealed this morning that Douglas Stuart, the well-known London bookmaker, had offered £1,150 for a half-share in Mrs. Ruttonjee's ticket.

The offer was refused.

Mrs. Ruttonjee is not in the least bit excited at her magnificent win.

"I haven't decided yet what I'll do with the money," she told the "Telegraph."

The 1940 Grand National resulted:

Bogskar (M. Jones)	1
MacMoffat (Alder)	2
Gold Arrow (Lay)	3

There were 29 starters. MacMoffat ran second in the Grand National last year.

In addition to Mrs. Ruttonjee's winning ticket, a Chinese syndicate at the Wang Kee Ship Chandler's Store drew a non-starter worth over £600.

Regional Football League Results

London, Apr. 9.

Following are the results of Association football matches played in the Regional Leagues yesterday:

South C

Millwall 3, Portsmouth 4
West Ham 2, Arsenal 1

Scottish Western

Airdrieonians 1, Hamilton 1

Scottish Eastern

Dundee 2, Dunfermline 2
King's Park 2, Dundee United 1
—Reuter.

Motorcycle Race on Ice In Russia

Moscow, Mar. 30.

A novel contest—a motorcycle race on the ice, in which 40 of the best racers of the country took part—was held in Moscow. The tyres of the motorcycles were provided with special steel spears that prevented slipping. The races was won by M. Silantyev (Leningrad), who covered the distance of 9,600 metres in 6 minutes 41 seconds.—Tass.

Canidrome Results

1—300 yd. flat.—1, Wild Wind; 2, Woodlark.
Also ran:—Zayelong, Simple Dale, Our Best Terminjay.
1 length.—Time, 18.63.
Win, $52.40. Forecast 4-6 Div. $149.70.
Place, 1st $13; 2nd $12.10.

2—300 yd. flat.—1, The Mate; 2, Hei Jen Ya Kiao.
Also ran:—Wychwood Abbot, Vita Spermin, Uranus, Boxing Fan.
1½ length.—Time, 18.53.
Win, $32. Forecast 1-3 Div. $172.10.
Place, 1st $16.80; 2nd $11.
Double Event 1/2 4-1 Div. $149.

3—440 yd. flat.—1, Skedaddle; 2, Gator.
Also ran:—Fearless Foe, Ah Liang, Wee Lil, Reality.
½ length.—Time, 27.10.
Win, $12.30. Forecast 3-6 Div. $40.10.
Place, 1st $6.50; 2nd $9.30.
Double Event 2/3 1-3 Div. $123.20.

4—500 yd. flat.—1, Bowster Boy; 2, Odin.
Also ran:—Advance Guard, Nagasaki, Be Smart, Five Stars II.
¼ length.—Time, 31.18.
Win, $101.50. Forecast 1-5 Div. $271.
Place, 1st $25.70; 2nd $10.80.
Double Event 3/4 3-1 Div. $78.20.

5—300 yd. flat.—1, Nanette; 2, Grayzeb.
Also ran:—Triumph, Send'm Along, Planet, Dopey.
Short head.—Time, 31.16.
Win, $15.40. Forecast 3-1 Div. $60.
Place, 1st $8.80; 2nd $11.50.
Double Event 4/5 1-3 Div. $176.30.

6—500 yd. flat.—1, O'Branagan; 2, Le Butin.
Also ran:—Adam's Ruin, Triumphant Tom, Mascaroon, Brass Hat.
1½ length.—Time, 30.57.
Win, $29.20. Forecast 3-1 Div. $126.40.
Place, 1st $16; 2nd $9.90.
Double Event 5/6 3-3 Div. $36.20.

7—500 yd. flat.—1, Major; 2, Wil Harmony.
Also ran:—Master Bill, Silvoreen, El Caballero, Monitor.
1½ length.—Time, 30.39.
Win, $29.50. Forecast 1-6 Div. $213.70.
Place, 1st $20.60; 2nd $17.50.
Double Event 6/7 3-1 Div. $135.10.

8—500 yd. flat.—1, Fire Brigade; 2, Open Book.
Also ran:—Gitana, Ocean Bubbie, Only Brother, Lone Plume.
½ length.—Time, 30.36.
Win, $39.10. Forecast 5-3 Div. $242.90.
Place, 1st $23; 2nd $25.90.
Double Event 7/8 1-5 Div. $225.20.

9—500 yd. flat.—1, Old Coin; 2, Amethyst.
A head.—Time, 30.
Win, $19.60. Forecast 3-1 Div. $94.70.
Place, 1st $11.30; 2nd $11.30.
Double Event 8/9 5-3 Div. $99.10.

10—500 yd. flat.—1, Some Fortune; 2, Grand Slam.
6 length.—Time, 29.44.
Win, $19.30. Forecast 5-1 Div. $110.20.
Place, 1st $12.30; 2nd $13.80.
Double Event 9/10 3-5 Div. $45.90.

11—500 yd. flat.—1, Jimmy; 2, Whirlwind.
1 length.—Time, 29.74.
Win, $16.80. Forecast 3-4 Div. $107.20.
Place, 1st $11.10; 2nd $12.90.
Double Event 10/11 5-3 Div. $34.60.

12—500 yd. flat.—1, Cute Viscount; 2, Sans Parole.
Short head.—Time, 29.46.
Win, $25.90. Forecast 2-6 Div. $68.10.
Place, 1st $7.50; 2nd $7.40.
Double Event 11/12 3-2 Div. $44.70.

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P.T.H. Annual Athletic Meeting Beginning

Events Start Today at Kiaochow Park

The 32nd annual athletic meeting of the Public and Thomas Hanbury School will be held today and tomorrow at Kiaochow Park. On each afternoon the contests will begin at 2 p.m.

There will be a total of fifty events, the programme consisting of the usual sprints, long distance running and a number of popular field contests. The events of the Junior School will be run off this afternoon and will be followed by the Senior School items in the Inter-House Competition.

Pembroke House loom as probable winners, although last year's winners, Lincoln House, boast of having the same strong team and entertain high hopes of success. There will be 34 events in this competition and the remaining 16 will be contests among the juniors.

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Gestapo Begins Dread Work In Denmark Behind Troops

Danes Bitter Over German Occupation; Premier Broadcasts Sorrow of Nation

Malmo, Apr. 10.

A TRAGIC air of bitterness and humiliation hung over Copenhagen last night as invading Germans hurried about the business of occupying the city. Copenhagen was a centre of Nazi espionage even before the war, and is full of Nazi agents. The Gestapo is reported already to be working and acting on the basis of lists of names compiled in advance.

Few details have come across the water separating Malmo (Sweden) from Copenhagen, but it is known that three Danish soldiers were shot by Germans during an incident in Copenhagen. German invading troops consisted of artillery, infantry, air force and marines. About 150 Danish troops crossed into Sweden and the major commanding them declared they hope to join the Swedish Army.

Most of Copenhagen's citizens only learned of the country's plight when they read leaflets which German planes showered upon the city.—Reuter.

Premier Tells of Nation's Grief

London, Apr. 10.

Speaking in the Storthing last night, the Danish Prime Minister, Mr. Stauning, said the country had received the news of yesterday's events with grave sorrow, says a Copenhagen radio broadcast. "We have been pursuing a policy aiming at keeping out of serious entanglements, but last night we learned that the Danish-German frontier had been crossed by German forces," Mr. Stauning stated.

"German bombers flew over our capital and the government had to accept German demands for admission of German troops into Denmark. Germany has assured us that she has no intention of violating Denmark's independence and territorial integrity. Our purpose for our country and people was to save them from the disastrous consequences of war."

The Prime Minister deplored the "death of those good sons of Denmark who lost their lives in the early hours of this day. Our sole desire is for peace."

He announced that negotiations were progressing for reconstruction of the government on a broader basis.

Real News Lacking

For the past 24 hours not a single boat has crossed the narrow stretch of water between Denmark and Norway, and news of the true state of affairs in Copenhagen is still lacking.

Details leaking out refer to the indignation of Danes against the exchange fixed by the Germans of two kroner equalling one mark. The purchasing power of the kroner is about one mark, so that Germans can not get twice as much for their money.

All Danish ships, including fishing boats and other small craft, are forbidden to leave Danish ports, according to a decree announced by the Danish radio station, now in German hands.—Reuter.

German Army Token Credits

SPECIAL TO THE "N.C.D.N."

London, Apr. 10.

German troops in Denmark will use "Reichskredit" certificates as legal tender, instead of money, the exchange rate of which has been fixed at one Reichsmark for two Kroner, according to the Copenhagen radio. German currency must not be accepted from German soldiers, who have been instructed to pay for all purchases, though wherever "it is so dictated by military necessity, they are entitled to requisition goods against receipts." The receipts, it is stated, will be honoured without delay.

Restrictions imposed on Danish purchases of petrol, food and other necessities, and traffic on a number of Danish railways, have been suspended until further notice.—Reuter.

Six Dead in Copenhagen

Helsingborg, Apr. 10.

Sporadic fighting resulted in disorder in Copenhagen during German occupation of the town, Swedish and Danish refugees arriving here last night reported. The casualties included four Danish soldiers and two civilians killed, they said.

The refugees, including many women and children, said one clash had occurred in the square near the royal castle, while another occurred in the Konken district near the centre of Copenhagen where the Danes resisted the Germans.—United Press.

Eyewitness Account

Berlin, Apr. 10.

The first eyewitness account of the German drive into Denmark, describing how the German troops were met with cheers by the minority Germans in north Schleswig and with blank surprise by all the Danes, was given in a radio broadcast here last night.

"Our soldiers lay quietly in long columns on a road south of Flensburg, waiting for the command to march," a German soldier said. "Some of them have been in Sudetenland, some in Poland, and some came from the Western Front. They exchanged tales with each other. Suddenly, light in the east revealed daybreak, which came sooner than we expected. With sunrise we received the order to march and soon we passed the first Customs House and we were on Danish soil. As we rolled along, the countryside became flatter. We took our places in a column behind a heavy anti-aircraft battery. Everywhere we met with expressions of blank amusement despite the fact that our march had been proclaimed over the radio and announced everywhere on placards and in leaflets scattered from aeroplanes all morning.

"The minority Germans in north Schleswig did not know what was going on, but greeted the German troops with loud cheers and great enthusiasm. Everywhere the population stood in streets, fascinated by this spectacle, a parade of the most modern war equipment. But around us everything was normal."—United Press.

Danish Envoy's Firm Stand

Washington, Apr. 10.

Violently denouncing the German occupation of Denmark as a violation of international law and of the non-aggression pact signed last year, M. Kauffman, the Danish Minister to the United States, declared that he would refuse to carry out any instructions received from his Government during the period of German occupation of his country.—Havas.

Chinese Councillors Re-elected

No Change Made in Chinese Representation

The Chinese Ratepayers Association in the Settlement has already re-elected the five Chinese members of the Shanghai Municipal Council asking them to continue to serve in their original capacity for another year. Those re-elected are Messrs. Yu Ya-ching, Gockson Kwok, Shihlin Chi, Eugene I. P. Kiang and L. T. Yuen, all well-known Chinese civic leaders.

Five of the six Chinese committeemen who are serving on various committees of the Council have also been re-elected. One of the six committeemen is absent having accepted a position in the new Nanking government. He is Mr. Chen Chi-chen, a school principal, and Mr. Chen Ting-ru, a well known lawyer has been elected to take his place. Among the six committeemen who is to serve as the land commissioner and the Council has the right to assign work for them.

The Council has been officially notified of the results of the elections. The procedure of Chinese elections this year have been much simplified. The five old Chinese members of the Council were recently re-elected by a majority vote cast by the Assembly of Chinese Ratepayers.

Russia Makes New Demands on Finns

German Envoy at Kremlin; London Sees Possible Red Grab at Northern Sweden

Amsterdam, Apr. 10.

Russia has made new demands on Finland, including the immediate conclusion of an economic pact, the Stockholm radio announced last night in a broadcast intercepted here.

The Russian demands also included the construction of a railway to the Swedish frontier and the foundation of so-called "mixed" mine companies, partly Russian and partly Finnish, by which Russia would get 45 per cent. of the output of Finnish nickle mines, the radio said.—United Press.

Nazi Envoy Visits Kremlin

Moscow, Apr. 10.

The German Ambassador had a long conversation with M. Viacheslav Molotov, Soviet Premier and Foreign Commissar, last night.—Reuter.

Moscow Has No Comment

Moscow, Apr. 10.

The Moscow radio, in a special broadcast at 2.30 p.m. yesterday, relayed a summary of a German communique regarding the necessity of defending Denmark and Norway, without commenting on the German invasion of the two nations. The radio also broadcast a brief report from London that Copenhagen had been occupied, the Norwegian fleet set afire and that Norway was in a state of war against Germany.—United Press.

Turks See Soviets Involvement

Istanbul, Apr. 10.

Turkish military quarters last night said they foresaw the possibility of Soviet Russia entering the war in Scandinavia if the Allies undertook a military campaign against Germany in Norway. One military source believed Russia might attempt to occupy northern Finland, and possibly northern Sweden, in the event of any large-scale Allied action in Scandinavia.—United Press.

Observations in London

London, Apr. 10.

Foreign diplomats here believed last night that should the Allies and Germany come to grips in northern Sweden and hostilities open near the Finnish frontier, Russia's attitude might again assume overwhelming importance.

In Finnish diplomatic circles uneasiness was expressed today lest the Soviet forces resume their advance into Finland to forestall either Allied or German encroachment on Finnish territory.

Soviet officials in London lack any indication as to Moscow's immediate intentions. Opinions differ whether an Allied-German clash in northern Scandinavia would prompt the Allies to try to cover their eastern flank by reaching a better understanding with Russia or whether they would proceed, regardless of Soviet action.—United Press.

Britain, U.S. United In China Policies

London, Apr. 10.

In an editorial on tangled Asiatic sympathies, the "New York Herald-Tribune" refers to the identity of attitudes of the American and British peoples to China, Japan and Russia, according to a special commentary.

The newspaper notes that the controversy in the House of Commons has drawn from the Government of Mr. Neville Chamberlain the "pretty satisfactory promise that British moral support of China's resistance towards Japan is not going to be compromised by efforts to win Japanese approval for checks on Russian commerce in the Pacific, that serves the Red and Nazi war machines."—Reuter.

Chinese Shelled Near Macao

Portuguese Government Denies Incidents Occurred With Japanese Troops

Macao, Apr. 10.

Sound of explosions yesterday from Taumoon, 15 miles west of Macao, indicated that the Japanese were shelling the locality, where Chinese troops are now gathered, following their recent withdrawal from Shekki.

The Portuguese authorities have dispatched more police to Lappa Island, following an attempted attack on a police outpost by Chinese brigands yesterday.—Reuter.

Incidents Denied

Lisbon, Apr. 10.

Reported incidents between the Portuguese authorities in Macao and the Japanese forces were categorically denied today in a statement handed to press representatives by the Ministry of Colonies here.

The following is the full text of the statement:

"Foreign agencies distributed to European newspapers telegrams from Hongkong announcing incidents with the Japanese forces in Macao. The Government, which is in daily contact with the Governors of all Portuguese colonies, asserts that our relations with Japan are most friendly and the two countries expressed the desire to maintain and tighten their friendship. No incident whatsoever occurred up till now with the Japanese forces in Macao, who are respecting our sovereignty and expressing sympathy towards our action in this colony. Portugal maintained a most loyal neutrality in the present conflict between China and Japan. There is no justification for any alarming rumours regarding Macao.—Havas.

Engineer Shot on Chengtu Road

W.C.B. Employee Dies on Way to Hospital

Mr. Liu Foh-chai, 49 year-old engineer employed by the Whangpoo Conservancy Board, was fatally injured on Chengtu Road near Weiheiwei Road shortly afternoon yesterday when two men fired four or five shots at him from the rear and then decamped dropping a .32 calibre automatic pistol and ten rounds of ammunition, as they ran into an alleyway.

Policemen on duty near the scene of the shooting ran to the aid of the victim and on seeing the seriousness of his injuries, summoned an ambulance which conveyed him to the Paulun Hospital where he was certified dead on arrival.

The motive for the murder is now being investigated by the police and according to information available last night, Liu was in no way engaged in political activities nor was he known to have any enemies.

New Small Coins Being Circulated Here

Circulation of 10,000,000 newly minted one-cent and five-cent aluminium coins was begun in Shanghai yesterday, thus further solving the small money shortage, which has caused considerable inconvenience to the public but which has been settled already to a great extent by the circulation of cent notes issued by the Central Bank of China.

The new coins look almost exacly like the nickel coins circulated by the Chinese Government, which have been withdrawn from the market because the price of nickel has been increased to such a degree as a result of the European conflict that their recall is necessary. The new coins are much lighter, however.

Traffic Arrangements For S.V.C. Parade

Bubbling Well Road to be Closed to Traffic

The annual inspection of the Shanghai Volunteer Corps will take place at the Country Club at 3 p.m. on Sunday. Traffic arrangements for the parade have been announced by the Shanghai Municipal Police and are as follows:

Bubbling Well Road will be closed to traffic between Mohawk Road and Carter Road during the actual inspection period. East bound traffic will be diverted to Burkill Road.

West bound traffic will be diverted at Park and Myburgh Roads to Burkill Road. Mohawk Road will be closed to traffic. Love Lane will be closed to traffic.

Parking

No parking on Bubbling Well Road between Mohawk Road and Love Lane, has been ordered. Officials' cars bearing special windscreen Labels may park in Chinhai Road, west side of Chengtu Road South of Bubbling Well Road, and both sides of Chengtu Road North of Bubbling Well Road.

Cars of Volunteers in uniform may park on Race Course. Enter by Loong Fei Gate and Park on Training Course west of Gate. General parking under direction of Police on duty on Race Course Road, and West side of Yates Road.

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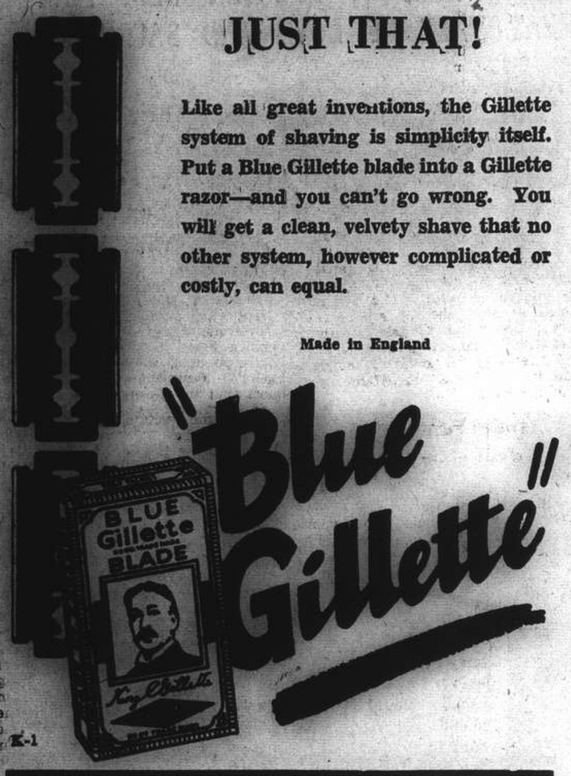

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IMPARTIAL NOT NEUTRAL

WHO IS NEXT?

The German claim that the action which has been taken against Denmark and Norway is in retaliation for the Allied laying of mines in Norwegian territorial waters is just another lie typical of those which have been regularly turned out from Berlin since the beginning of the war. The fact is that Germany had long prepared for this present step. It will be remembered that, towards the end of last year and the beginning of this, troop concentrations were reported in that area of Germany adjacent to Heligoland Bay. Reports that a large number of German vessels were on the high seas moving northward, apparently with the idea of offering battle to the British fleet were current at least a day before the Allies laid any mines at all, and it is quite clear now that those vessels constituted convoys of troopships which were destined to the various points in Norway which are now reported to have been occupied by German soldiers. Viewing the German allegation from another angle the question may be asked why, if what the Reich claims is true, was it necessary to invade Denmark. It is of course stated to be for the purpose of extending German protection to that unhappy country. The promise is given that it will be only for the duration of the war. That the Allies will ensure. The German promise, like so many that Herr Hitler has so freely given, is not meant to be fulfilled by the Reich, and it may with certainty be said that should Germany by some mischance win this war, then the whole of Scandinavia as a group of independent nations will cease to exist, and Germany will have acquired more of that *lebensraum* on which Herr Hitler has set his marauding heart. There should be no doubt about it; there is not the slightest intention in the German mind to return any territory which she may be able to grab unless she is forced to, and the sacred mission of the Allies is to continue to wage war until these nations which are being deprived of their independence shall have restored to them their territory, and their freedom.

The old bogey which has been raised by the Reich propaganda machine that the Allies intend to invade Belgium and Holland arouses suspicion that those countries are next on the list to receive German protection. If it were not so tragic the picture of *der Fuehrer*, than whose hands none have been more patently bloodstained, posing as the champion of the weaker nations, would be absolutely ludicrous, and without a doubt both Belgium and Holland will look upon the Reich's next moves with the gravest suspicion, and a readiness to defend their integrity which they have already announced in terms which permit of no misunderstanding. They have every reason to believe that their turn will be next. The German stories of a big naval engagement must be accepted with complete reserve for the moment, while the claims of damage to British vessels must be ignored as blatant propaganda, until the facts have been liberated by the British and French naval commands. Quite obviously there will be no communication between the Allied fleets in the North Sea with their home bases by wireless until the engagement has been brought to a conclusion, for it would be the height of imprudence to use wireless which would undoubtedly give their positions away to the enemy. The probability that a naval engagement is being fought must be accepted as great. The German venture along the coast of Norway has created lines of communication which the Allies will not hesitate to attack. They afford an objective which was not formerly in existence, and the German fleet will now be forced to come out into the open, instead of skulking behind its minefields, to maintain avenues of supply for the men who have been landed in Norway, unless of course the Reich decides the safe plan will be to invade Sweden and thus set up lines of communication behind the minefields laid in the Skager Rak. The position of Sweden is, therefore, a matter of some uneasiness so far as its government is concerned, and the outcome of the next few days will be watched with considerable anxiety. It is not believed that Herr Hitler will hold his hand, for quite obviously his desire to obtain control of the Swedish iron deposits must always be a factor tending to decide his policy towards that country.

From the Allied point of view there is no ground for undue alarm. This development was by no means unexpected. Indeed, it has, as has already been pointed out, been anticipated for months past. It constitutes no surprise but amounts to a development which it was more or less taken for granted would take place directly it suited Herr Hitler's book. The effect of this new move in Germany is something which will have to be taken into consideration. Of recent weeks there have been reports current of a certain amount of dissatisfaction over the static nature of the war, and the failure of Herr Hitler to obtain results. It would probably be premature to allege that there had been any considerable weakening of German moral too, though there were factors operating towards that result. This new German conquest of Denmark and the occupation of various points on the Norwegian coast which Germany may be hard put to maintain, will undoubtedly be served up to the German public as another example of Herr Hitler's "bloodless"—save the mark,—conquests. Yet it has its disadvantages for Germany. The Allied blockade of the German coast is now rendered absolute. Whatever attenuated neutrality Norway had under enormous German pressure has now disappeared, and the problem of the blockade has been altogether simplified by what Germany has done. There must be considerable sympathy felt for such countries as Denmark which as enemy occupied territory must perforce be included in the Allied blockade. Her sea-borne trade must for the time being be disrupted. Her agricultural wealth will undoubtedly be diverted to Germany, and her people reduced to that servitude to German ends which other peoples have already experienced. But the time will come when all this shall be ended, and Germany so dealt with that never again will it be able to grind peaceful people under the heel of its military boot. To that end every effort of the Allies will be directed, for it is being brought home to them and the world as never before that a German success means the wiping out of everything which honourable and peaceful peoples hold so dear.

A Candidate's Advice

Of the various election addresses issued by candidates for election to the Municipal Council quite one of the most important is that given out by Mr. J. W. Carney, one of the two American candidates. In it he succinctly replies to some of the criticisms which have been made of the manner in which the Council has conducted the business of administering the International Settlement, and defends the Council against the allegations of extravagance. After showing the reduction in the foreign personnel in the municipal staff and that despite considerable increase in the police force, Mr. Carney goes on to say:—

> "I believe that it is against the interests of the ratepayers to permit any impairment of our essential services—further we have a moral obligation to take care of the staff who have served the Council so faithfully. In final conclusion it is you ratepayers who must decide how costly an administration you desire. If you are to have the protection the present police and fire departments afford you, then the bill for those services must be met.....It appears evident that the Council must improve its publicity department to offset the attacks which are made upon it."

One of the most astonishing features of the spate of correspondence which during the last few days has been published in these columns is the amazing amount of misconception there appears to be in the minds of many regarding even the simplest facts concerning the administration, and it is impossible to avoid the conclusion that the Council is not well served in the matter of publicity. Some nine years ago it was sought to remedy this state of affairs which was apparent then by the appointment of a Press Information Officer and a small staff. The general impression was formed that, though the Council had been obliged reluctantly to take this step, the department was never very popular with the various other departments, and when in 1936 the economy axe was being enthusiastically wielded, this new department was amongst the first to go. Such publicity as the Council has since issued has been handled by a member of the staff of the Secretariat, and no criticism of him is intended when it is said that it was never very satisfactory, chiefly due to the paucity of material he was allowed to give out. That and the secrecy which has continually surrounded the doings of the Council has permitted a great deal of misunderstanding to arise with the result that there is a substantial portion of the voting ratepayers completely out of sympathy with the Council. That is indeed putting it mildly, for in some cases it appears to amount almost to an inveterate distrust. The policy of the Council should be not "how little shall we tell the ratepayers, but how much can we?" If the impression gained ground that the Council was taking the public into its confidence as much as it possibly could a generally better atmosphere would result from the removal of much misunderstanding. It will be seen now that the abolition of the Press Information Bureau in 1936 was a major error leading to much of present day trouble, while it may safely be said that, if the existing obscurantist policy is continued in the future, even greater embarrassments may befall not only the Council but the ratepayers themselves.

"Madame La Ministre"

The dramatic chain of events in Norway and Denmark following the German occupation invests with a large degree of admiration the character of Mrs. Florence Jaffray Harriman, United States Minister to Oslo, who apparently was the first person to communicate to the world through the U. S. State Department at Washington the news of the course of the German-Scandinavian adventure. There was such an atmosphere of unexpectancy about the German move that made most people in Shanghai on Tuesday deem the early reports incredible, although the British Prime Minister explained that the move must have been planned long ago before any British action regarding the illegal utilization of Norwegian neutrality by Germany was taken. It is no easy feat to transport a large body of troops overseas to occupy several points, and no amount of German explanation will connect this new action with British activities. Mrs. Harriman's enterprise in informing the world of the rape of Scandinavia is commendable and will be made noteworthy in diplomatic history for she, to use the vernacular, through her sources of information "spilled the beans" when other channels of communication were silent. Mrs. Harriman was appointed U. S. Minister to Oslo in 1937, succeeding in those parts Mrs. Ruth Bryan Owen, who was U. S. Minister to Copenhagen but resigned when she re-married. Mrs. Harriman, widow of a well-known American banker, had distinguished herself in educational, social and political work long before she became connected with the American diplomatic service. For 12 years, she was manager of the New Reformatory for Women at Bedford, N. Y. and in 1913 she was the only woman member of the Federal Industrial Relations Commission. Prior to her appointment to Oslo, she was President of the Women's National Democratic Club. Like other women members of American official life, she showed a vigour and directness of purpose which made her outstanding and her continued presence in war-torn Scandinavia cannot but do her country—and other countries—immense good. Incidentally, Scandinavia has been the proving ground of women diplomats for in addition to her predecessor, Mrs. Harriman has in Stockholm Mme. Kollontai, the Soviet Minister to Sweden, an original member of the Russian Communist Party, and an able diplomat.

ALONG THE HIGHWAYS

April 10.—We observe that the lilac is beginning to bloom in gardens along the highways. "Tommy" found privet leaves growing on one tree and began to wonder why, until he saw that they were growing from underneath the graft. Local growers use the strong-growing privet as the "stock" for lilac. We found later that our lilac is known botanically as *Syringa chinensis*. "Tommy" said that the "Mock orange" is known here as syringa and we had to look that up. We found that the name syringa was first given to *Philadelphus* and later transferred to the lilac. As a matter of fact, Daddy came into the picture also; it appears that pipes are often made from the straight stems of *Philadelphus*, therefore we have *syrinx*—a pipe, and the erstwhile botanists derived the name syringa from this. Our friend the bur clover—*Medicago denticulata*—is now in flower in places, the small yellow flowers will in time be followed by coiled pods which are armed with long curved prickles which insist on sticking to our clothes later in the summer. Dogs appear to find all the bur clover in the vicinity when they are taken for a romp in the country, at least ours do!! We have to spend hours picking the burs from their coats. I suppose this is the way nature distributes seed of the plant. The spring vetch—*Vicia sativa*—was also found yesterday. The purplish-rose flowers of this wild flower are quite attractive. The plant itself is also useful: it is used by farmers as food for cattle and horses. We noticed a stately avenue of oak trees covered with hanging stalks of flowers and nice fresh leaves. We also admired the beauty of the *Mahonia* shrubs covered with panicles of yellow flowers which showed to advantage against a background of "autumn foliage." The corylopsis is also in flower. Long racemes of yellow flowers hanging from leafless stems attracted our attention and we found the plant was *Corylopsis spicata*. The hazel comes into the picture here for we find that the name of the shrub is derived from *Corylus*—"a hazel" and *opsis*—"like." The flowers are fragrant and we visualized a groundwork of violets under the plants.—W.J.K.

CHILDREN'S HEALTH

Watch on Undernourished Needed

For over 30 years the school medical service has been actively employed in promoting the health and welfare of school children. To place the school child in a healthy environment, to build him up on sound lines, to protect him against disease, and to see that he is so adequately nourished that he can take full advantage of the education, both mental and physical, provided for him—these have been the aims of the service, and, states Sir Arthur MacNalty, "While we are yet far from perfection, school children of today in general health, in physique, and in stature, are infinitely better than when the school medical service began its task."

The general impression produced by the reports of school medical officers is, it is stated, cheering, though there are areas where no improvement can be reported. During the year 1,674,023 children were assessed at routine medical inspections in respect of their nutritive state. Of these 14.5 per cent. were found to be excellent, 74.2 per cent. normal, 10.8 per cent. slightly subnormal, and 0.5 per cent. bad. Of the children examined at the last routine inspection of their school life 16.6 per cent. were excellent. The results of these returns are virtually the same as for the past three years, and the report points out that the increased attention given to nutrition and the general rise of standards lead to the reporting of minor degrees of defect which in earlier years would have seemed normal or unworthy of notice. Variations in the standard of assessments make it difficult to give accurate comparisons, but there is no doubt that improvement has been made.

The steady and gratifying increases in the tables of average heights and weights which are shown in nearly all the many reports from school medical officers in which such tables are given are striking evidence of the improvement in the nutrition of the school child in the country as a whole. Thus in Sheffield, compared with 1920, five-year-old boys are on an average nearly 2 in. taller and 3lb. heavier, and five-year-old girls 1.4 inches taller and 1lb. heavier; 12-year-old boys more than 2 in. taller and 9¾lb. heavier, and the 12-year-old girls of 1938 are three inches taller and no less than 12.4lb. heavier than those of 1920.

Progress and Service Maintained

These figures show that progress has been maintained, but it is still a fact that the provision made in many areas falls far short of that recommended. It is fully realized by all progressive local education authorities that not only does the listless mind of the ill-fed child evade teaching but the best physical education will be frustrated if, in the most critical years of growth, the child goes short of the essential body-building foods.

This survey has shown, as has been emphasized in previous reports, that while in some areas the arrangements are well organized in others the food provided, the service of the meals, and the place where they are served are all open to serious criticism. Some authorities rely entirely on the provision of free milk (too often only one-third of a pint), overlooking the fact that there are many cases in which milk alone is insufficient to meet the needs of the children, who in addition require free solid meals to restore and maintain their nutrition. The restriction in free meals in some areas by a severe income scale, which has often been in operation for many years without alteration, is pointed out, and in such cases authorities are advised that it is essential that the scale should be made more lenient.

On March 31, 1939, the milk-in-schools scheme was in operation in 86.9 per cent. of all the departments in public elementary schools. Less than 5 per cent. of the total number of elementary school children are in schools not covered by the scheme. On the same date 55.6 per cent. of all children in elementary schools were taking milk under the scheme either free or on payment. While the numbers were increasing up to the outbreak of war, it is extraordinary that there should still be so many parents who do not grasp the opportunity to supply their children at half price with a food so essential to health, growth, and development.

Although considerable progress has been made during the past ten years, the provision of nursery schools still falls short of what is needed and there still remain many areas where such schools could with advantage be established.

IN PARENTHESIS

Debited

"WHAT a magnificent reception your wife gave last night, old man!" enthused one of the guests. 'Everything absolutely perfect. But I'm sure you had a voice in the arrangements."

"I did," replied the host drily. "The invoice."

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Transposition

HE had been married for the second time, and some months later an old friend asked:

"Has your present wife a more even temper than your first one had?"

"More even? I should say not. Even more," he replied with emphasis.

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Technical Point

IT was after the raid and the pilots were clambering out of their machines, very pleased with themselves.

But one man began to shake violently, and put his hand to his head. They led him to the mess. They gave him brandy after brandy, but still his hand shook.

Presently the M.O. arrived.

"Steady, boy," he said. "Nerves."

"Nerves be jiggered!" said the patient. "I can't get this wrist-watch to go!"

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Letter from a Mouse

DEAR Mr. Gubbins, (care of the "Sunday Express"):—

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America, as we all know, is a country of extremes.

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Therefore it is surprising that a country of such violent emotions, passionate sympathies and antipathies and love of efficiency should produce a mousetrap which is nothing but a British compromise.

One might have supposed that if an American wanted to catch a mouse he would catch a mouse. Beginning with a Press campaign and a series of lecture tours, he would persuade himself and millions of his countrymen that mice were the greatest enemies of mankind. He would then produce a mousetrap from which no mouse could hope to escape and hold it up to the world as the last word in American achievement.

But to build a mousetrap which warns mice of their peril appears to be a pitiful waste of time. You either want mice or you don't want them. If you want them you let them live. If you don't want them you discover the best and quickest way to destroy them.

It may surprise you to hear a mouse describing mice as pests, though I can assure you that mice know their proper place in the world. We are very small with countless enemies much more powerful than ourselves. As none of these enemies would give us a sporting chance to live honourably we are obliged to enter other people's premises and steal in the night in order to survive. We are pests in self-defence.

In conclusion, I would like to say that I am always amused at the adventures of your cat Sally, and but for an accident of birth would be very interested to meet her.

I remain, Sir,
Yours faithfully,
A Mouse.

Fierce Naval Engagements Fought Off Norway

Two German Cruisers Sunk; Commons Told of Narvik Battle; British Destroyers Combat Superior Nazi Force in Fjord

London, Apr. 10.

A GERMAN communique issued today admits that two cruisers, the Bluecher, 10,000 tons, and Karlsruhe, 6,000, have been sunk. The Bluecher, the communique says, was heavily damaged outside Oslo while endeavouring to silence a battery of 11-inch guns. Subsequently, she struck several mines and was lost. The Karlsruhe, after having met with strong resistance at Kristiansand, was heavily damaged and sank. A great part of the crew was saved.

No less than nine of the eleven participating warships were either sunk or damaged in a fierce naval battle off Narvik this morning, it was revealed by the Prime Minister, Mr. Neville Chamberlain, in a statement in the House of Commons today. The engagement, the most violent so far in the present war, was between five British destroyers and six German destroyers of the largest type.

Mr. Chamberlain's statement was in reply to Mr. C. R. Attlee, Leader of the Labour Opposition, who asked whether the Prime Minister had any further statement to make about naval operations in the North Sea. Mr. Chamberlain said he did not propose to make any general statement on the aspects of the war, and hoped it would be possible for one to be made by Mr. Winston Churchill, First Lord of the Admiralty, tomorrow, when perhaps more information than they now possessed would have come to hand.

"The House will, however," Mr. Chamberlain continued, "probably wish to hear an account I have just received of a fierce action by British destroyers against German forces in Narvik this morning.

Five Against Six

"Five British destroyers steamed up the Fjord and engaged six German destroyers of the latest and largest type, which were also supported by shore batteries and guns newly mounted on shore. H.M.S. Hunter (1,340 tons) was sunk, and the Hardy (1,455 tons) was so severely injured that she had to run ashore and became a wreck. The Hotspur (1,340 tons) also received serious damage, and the destroyer Hostile (1,340 tons) received slight damage. The remaining vessel was untouched. After a most determined action against a superior force of larger and more modern ships, and in fact of gunfire from shore, the damaged Hotspur withdrew, covered by the other two destroyers. The German destroyers appeared in no condition to attempt pursuit.

"A German destroyer was torpedoed and is believed to have sunk, and three were left heavily hit and burning (cheers).

"It is perhaps not less important that six merchant ships suspected of containing unloaded stores of the German expedition were sunk in action by British destroyers.

"On the way out, they met the German ship Ravensfeld which was found to be carrying reserve ammunition to the landed German force. The vessel was blown up (loud cheers). The House will naturally not expect me to deal in any way with further operations."

Allied Announcement Due

The action decided upon by the Allies in connection with Norway become clear in the near future, declared an official spokesman here today. It must not be felt, he asserted, that because the Germans had succeeded in placing certain isolated contingents along the Norwegian coastline, they had done anything very brilliant or even ripe from the strategic point of view. A naval action, the spokesman added, was now in progress, and hasty conclusions should not be drawn.

A spokesman of the Admiralty said that for service reasons, the Admiralty could make no statement now. The Allies had every intention of seeing that the Germans did not land on Iceland.

Unofficial figures of the number of British nationals in Scandinavia are known to be between 800 and 1,000 in Norway and 600 in Denmark.—Reuter.

German Cruisers Trapped

Stockholm, Apr. 10.

Four German cruisers are anchored along the quai-side of Trondheim, according to reports reaching here. Important developments were expected at this port during the night, says the "Jaemtlands Tidning." It was believed that British warships would try to force their passage to the port.

Reports from Oslo show that warplanes played a big part in overwhelming the city, troops landed being comparatively few.

Newspapers here also state that Trondheim has been occupied without

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Narvik Occupation Described

U.S. Journalist Tells How Northern Port was Swiftly Over Powered

Asbisco, Apr. 10.

Two Norwegian warships, attempting to prevent the entry of two German destroyers, were silenced by torpedoes and suffered a heavy death toll prior to the German occupation of Narvik, Norway's main port for the shipment of iron ore to Germany, early yesterday, reports the United Press correspondent in this Swedish village sixteen kilometres from Narvik. Two British merchantmen in port, he adds, were sunk after their crews had attempted to offer resistance by firing small calibre guns at the heavily-armed German warships which landed 1,500 troops.

The attack on Narvik began at about 4.50 a.m. when two German destroyers entered the harbour in a heavy snowstorm which proved to be a perfect camouflage for their movements, for they were not seen until they had opened fire on two ships while entering the harbour. These two merchant ships, one German and the other British, were taken by surprise. The British merchantman, carrying small guns, returned the fire and simultaneously two Norwegian vessels fired at the German warships.

The Germans immediately resorted to the use of high-powered torpedoes and the two Norwegian warships were sunk and only twenty men out of a total of 562 were known to have been saved.

No Resistance on Land

Approximately 1,500 German troops reached the centre of the city at 5.05 a.m. and fully occupied the city at 5.30 a.m., for the Norwegians on land did not resist the German advance. One Norwegian policeman and one soldier were believed killed.

Members of the British Consulate staff disappeared from the city immediately after the start of the firing.

After their brief battle in the harbour, the German destroyers docked and troops, wearing steel helmets and carrying modern automatic arms, landed.

The populace watched silently.

The crews of all merchantmen were ordered ashore and Nazi prize crews boarded the ships.

There were 3,000 Norwegian troops in the area, but most of them were scattered in the hills.

Population Surprised

When the German destroyers emerged from the sweeping snow into the harbour many believed they were British warships. The population realized that it was a German attack only when the German destroyers opened fire, causing panic in the harbour and ashore. Crowds were thunder-struck by the action.

Narvik's resistance was woefully weak, although the two war vessels in the harbour went into immediate action and kept their guns pounding until they were torpedoed at close range.

The crews of two British merchantmen ineffectively fired at the Germans with small guns. Two British merchantmen were sunk and one German merchantman went aground while trying to escape the falling shells.

The use of torpedoes by the Germans resulted in the harbour being littered with wreckage and a sailor close to the scene of the battle told me he counted some 100 bodies floating in the water.—United Press.

Trondheim Occupation

Helsinki, Apr. 10.

Surprised by the swiftness of the German attack, the British Consul at Trondheim, together with his staff, was arrested by the German troops which occupied that town yesterday morning, Helsinki Radio announced today. The Germans landed at 6 a.m. and immediately surrounded the British Consulate, the occupants of which were unable to flee.

About 1,200 German troops are in Trondheim, the occupation of which was effected in an exceedingly short time.

The German Commander has imposed a military administration in Trondheim, forbidding all meetings, demonstrations, or discussions by the inhabitants. The commander landed a few minutes after his troops, who were protected by a number of German planes. These planes were seen flying over the port throughout the morning.—Havas.

H.M. Envoy to Japan Delays Departure

Tokyo, Apr. 10.

The departure of the British Ambassador and Lady Craigie for a holiday in the United States has been temporarily postponed. The date originally provisionally fixed was April 13.—Reuter.

Quiet on West Front

Paris, Apr. 10.

"A quiet day was passed generally on the front from the Rhine to the Moselle," states the latest French communique on military operations on the Western Front, issued here last night. "There was some artillery fire along the Rhine, in upper Alsace," it adds.—Reuter.

R.A.F. Destroy Nazi Cruiser In Bergen

German Planes Bomb Oslo; British Planes Fight Invading Craft

London, Apr. 10.

"The Royal Air Force carried out a series of attacks against enemy cruisers in Bergen Fjord yesterday evening," states a communique issued by the Air Ministry today. "Despite heavy anti-aircraft fire, the attacks were pressed home. One cruiser was hit and seriously damaged. All our machines returned safely, it is added.

A German destroyer today entered Stockholm harbour, according to the Rome Radio, quoting a report from the Swedish capital. The vessel is said to have been seriously damaged.

British aircraft made a successful raid on German warships at Bergen yesterday when one large German cruiser was sunk by a heavy bomb and other warships were believed damaged. The attack was made by relays of aircraft in quick succession and was delivered by a strong force of long-range bombers in face of intense anti-aircraft fire from warships.

A series of bombing attacks was made by aircraft flying in sections in line with the principal targets being two large cruisers and two destroyers lying at anchor in the Bergen roadstead. Due to failing light, accurate observations of results were difficult, but one heavy bomb was seen to register a direct hit on the afterpart of a large cruiser of the Koeln class. Other warships are believed to have been damaged.

Despite the intense fire to which they were subjected all British aircraft returned safely, making a night landing at their bases after a flight of approximately eight hours' duration.—Reuter.

Germans Bomb Oslo

Oslo, Apr. 10.

German and British aeroplanes battled over Oslo yesterday as reports circulated that a great Allied air fleet was speeding over the North Sea to aid the Norwegian capital.

The United Press correspondent saw German planes dive low over the Oslo airfield and release bombs, scoring direct hits on Norwegian planes. The Norwegian Air Force fought back valiantly, and the correspondent believes he saw four German planes crash and probably two Norwegian craft went down. German bombers scored direct hits on six Norwegian planes on the Fornebo Airfield on the outskirts of Oslo, where the invading planes were fought by Norwegian aircraft.

There was no confirmation of reports that other Allied planes were en route to Oslo, but it was persistently rumoured that from 600 to 700 Allied craft were speeding to Norway's assistance.

Oslo Taken Without Clash

The occupation of Oslo occurred without a major incident. The city's population generally stood by and watched the German soldiers, in full war kit, march along the central street of the city. The German general proceeded directly to the Norwegian police headquarters when the troops landed and took over command.

About 300 German soldiers, some mounted and some afoot, participated in the march of the first German units to enter the city. Spectators noted that Norwegian officers rode in some of the cars with the German officers.

One German destroyer was badly damaged as it steamed slowly into Oslo harbour and anchored. For about twenty hours the outskirts of Oslo were bombed by German aircraft before the Germans occupied the city. In addition to occupying Oslo the German forces occupied the Norwegian naval base of Holsten, just inside the entrance to the Oslo Fjord. —United Press.

Air Battle Over Moss

Stockholm, Apr. 10.

British aeroplanes are reported to have been engaged in a battle over Moss on the eastern shore of Oslo Fjord yesterday. The Norwegians were reported last night to be still resisting the Germans at several places, but the immediate vicinity of Oslo was quiet.

The Germans are said to have laid mines from Lindesnes on the southern tip of Norway to Skagen, thus closing

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London Seethes With Excitement and Diplomatic Activities

Foreign Envoys Crowd to See Prime Minister; Mr. Churchill in Continual Consultations

SPECIAL TO THE "N.C.D.N."

London, Apr. 10.

When it became known that Herr Hitler had acted with usual suddenness in his invasion of Scandinavia, Whitehall and the country as a whole seethed with excitement.

Mr. Neville Chamberlain, the Prime Minister, routed Government Ministers out of bed for a meeting at 8.30 a.m. yesterday, after which the Norwegian Minister, Mr. Erik Colban, called at the Foreign Office and was informed of the Government's decision to extend full aid to Norway.

Then came the French Ambassador, M. Charles Corbin, to be followed by a visit of the Opposition leaders, Mr. C. R. Attlee and Mr. Arthur Greenwood, to No. 10 Downing Street. They assured the Government of their support, on condition that aid to Norway would be "prompt and effective."

Other visitors to the Foreign Office were the Swedish Minister, M. Bjoern Prytz, accompanied by M. Eric Boheman, Swedish Permanent Under-Secretary for Foreign Affairs, who is at present in London; the British Ambassador to Turkey, Sir Hughe Montgomery Knatchbull-Hugessen, and the Canadian High Commissioner, Mr. Vincent Massey.

Mr. Joseph Kennedy, United States' Ambassador in London, also saw Lord Halifax, Foreign Secretary, yesterday afternoon, but made no comment.

Mr. Winston Churchill, First Lord of the Admiralty and President of the Committee of Service Ministers, besides presiding over the Admiralty, spent a day in conferences. In the afternoon, he was so crowded with work that he was unable to appear in Parliament.

A second meeting of the Cabinet was held at noon, when the General Staffs and the Admiralty were present for consultation, as were experts on health, food and shipping, who gave advice as to how extension of the war to Scandinavia was affecting their departments.—Reuter.

Balkan Parleys Postponed

London, Apr. 10.

Owing to the developments in the international situation, the conference between the British Ministers from the Balkans and Lord Halifax, Foreign Secretary, which was to have been held yesterday, was postponed.—Reuter.

"N.C.D.N." Photos.

Shanghai Goes to the Polls

In the midst of startling events, International Settlement ratepayers visited the polls in their hundreds yesterday to record their votes in the most momentous municipal election that the city has seen. Above are two queues of voters awaiting their turns at the ballot boxes. Below is a general view of the scene in the Drill Hall where the voting south of the Creek took place. The result of the vote will probably be known tonight.

Election and War Fevers Compete in Shanghai

Settlement Ratepayers Visit Polls Amid Startling Events; Foreigners Flock to Vote

ELECTION and war fevers battled for supremacy in Shanghai yesterday. "How's the voting going?" "What's happening in Norway and Denmark?" As midday newspapers screamed out the lightning succession of events in Europe, thousands of International Settlement ratepayers visited the polls to record their votes in the most momentous municipal election that the city has seen. It was Shanghai's first election in seven years and on it rested the decision whether or not foreign control of the Shanghai Municipal Council would pass into the hands of the Japanese. The issue at stake brought out both sides and vast crowds of people recorded their votes during the day at the S.V.C. Drill Hall and at Hongkew Market, the two voting stations. As the stations closed at 3 o'clock it was estimated that well over 60 per cent. of the total ratepayers had registered their votes. The polls are open today from 10 a.m. until 3 p.m.

Standing for election to nine vacant seats were five official British candidates, two Americans, one independent British candidate, and five Japanese, the nomination of whom was responsible for the holding of an election this year. Thanks to publicity in newspapers, over the radio and by means of pamphlets, each candidate had announced his views to the interested thousands whose duty it was to vote and scenes reminiscent of homeside elections were seen in Shanghai yesterday as voters were handed pamphlets, carried to and from the polls in cars and told where to vote in four languages.

The nomination list was as follows: N. F. Allman and J. W. Carney. American; G. A. Hayley, W. J. Keswick, Roderick G. MacDonald, G. E. Mitchell, T. S. Powell, British (chosen by straw vote). Ranald G. McDonald, independent British. M. Den, Y. Hanawa, K. Kuroda, Issaku Okamoto, Otoichi Okamoto, Japanese.

Half an Hour Early

Hectic scenes were witnessed at the two polling booths as ratepayers flocked inside from 10 a.m. until 3 p.m. At the S.V.C. Drill Hall a graphic illustration of the interest being taken in the election was seen when a large crowd of voters, including many Japanese, gathered outside the doors well before 9.30 a.m. As the doors were opened they surged forward and were soon clamouring around various officials, who directed them to the correct places.

An independent observation of the various nationalities voting at the Drill Hall revealed that foreigners greatly exceeded Japanese. At Hongkew Market the Japanese were more numerous, although many foreigners voted there during the day. It was also noticed that many German-Jewish refugees preferred to register their votes at the Drill Hall instead of Hongkew and several prominent members of the German community in Shanghai were seen at this station.

All day long at both stations cars disgorged their loads of ratepayers most of whom upon alighting, were handed pamphlets favouring various candidates. Whether or not these had any influence is doubtful. Most of them merely glanced at them and proceeded inside with voting card in hand and pamphlet on the ground.

Animated Conversations

Inside the booths various British American and Japanese officials directed members of their own nationality to the correct desks to receive their ballot papers. These were deposited in a sealed box guarded by foreign and Japanese policemen. Animated discussions on the merits or demerits of each candidate were the order of the day at each station and little groups were here, there, and everywhere, as the queues of voters became longer and longer.

Press photographers, from points of vantage on booths supplied for voters to mark their papers, got busy when any candidate in the election came in to register his vote. One of these, Mr. W. J. Keswick, was snapped time and time again as he visited the ballot box to deposit his handful of papers. Mr. Ranald McDonald, too, came in for attention from the photographers as he visited the Drill Hall shortly after noon. Unruffled and with pipe in mouth he recorded his votes and left.

Many American ratepayers were the recipients of telephone calls during the morning urging them to vote. Offers of transportation were also

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Sterling Drops to U.S. $3.44

Francs Follow in New York; Guilder and Belga Fluctuate at War News

New York, Apr. 9.

Sterling touched a new low on the New York Foreign Exchange market today, as a result of the latest European developments.

The New York on London rate opened at 3.44 (offered), was quoted at 3.46⅛ at 4 p.m., and finally closed at the same level, against yesterday's quotation of 3.55½. The trading range of the day was between 3.50 and 3.43½.

However, the market was bolstered by the statement of Sir John Simon, Chancellor of the British Exchequer.

Dealings in foreign exchange today were very small, with operators awaiting new developments from the war front.

The French franc moved in sympathy with the pound. After being initially quoted at 1.95, the rate hardened to 1.96⅜, compared with the previous close of 2.01⅝.

Both the guilder and the belga fluctuated, with final rates listed at 53.08 and 16.99, against 53.09 and 17.09½, respectively.

The Canadian dollar presented a very easy appearance. The Montreal on London rates dropped from 4.24½ to 4.14½, whilst the New York on Montreal quotation, after dropping to 83.37, firmed up to 83.625, against yesterday's closing level of 84.—Reuter.

Commons Statement

Lindon, Apr. 10.

"The recent fall in the unofficial rate for sterling on foreign markets is in no way a sign of British financial weakness or difficulties," declared Sir John Simon, Chancellor of the Exchequer, in reply to a question about the recent trend of sterling, in the House of Commons yesterday.

"The fall," he explained, "is a natural result of recent regulations providing that exports of tin, rubber and certain other commodities must be paid for in foreign currencies or in sterling obtained from authorized dealers. The fall is an incidental result of the tightening exchange control. It is limited to a very small proportion of sterling, namely to that held by such foreigners as choose to dispose of it to another foreigner, at a rate current on foreign markets. By far the greater part of sterling transactions is effected at the official rate. The proportion of transactions outside the official market is much smaller still than the allowance made for the fact that a very great proportion of our purchases are made from sterling and franc-using areas, and do not involve an interchange of foreign currencies at all."

Dealing with a suggestion that Great Britain should block sterling assets belonging to foreigners, the Chancellor of the Exchequer said on a balanced review of all considerations involved they chose not to put an embargo upon foreign money or securities held in Britain, exposing themselves thereby to the risk that some foreign holders would use their freedom to dispose of their sterling assets. That had not happened to any substantial extent.

"Sterling is good to hold, and I believe this opinion is spreading in neutral countries," Sir John Simon added.—Reuter.

Reich Action Compared to Mad Dog's

Lord Halifax Discredits Norwegian Peace Talks; Soviet Attitude Watched

London, Apr. 10.

The German invasion of Norway and Denmark was vigorously condemned by Lord Halifax, the Foreign Secretary, in a speech here today.

"The behaviour of Germany," he said, "is really that of a homicidal lunatic or of a mad dog that runs about biting where it may." The war, the Foreign Secretary declared, was not merely a struggle between the belligerents. It was becoming more and more plain that "on the issue of this war hangs the fate not only of those now at war, but of all peoples who love liberty and wish to preserve their independence."

The situation in Scandinavia, both political and military, was obscure, Lord Halifax declared, and it was impossible to claim a complete knowledge of much that was passing. He did not know whether the report that Norway was now preparing to negotiate with Germany was well founded or not, and added: "If it is well founded, I have no doubt whatever that the Allied Governments would only regard that action as taken under duress, and that it would in no way whatever affect our determination to resist on behalf of powerless Norway both the effect for Norway of this brutal exhibition of violence, and ourselves an extension of German strategic power on the North Sea and the Atlantic, which it would be impossible for this country to accept."

British Navy Not Idle

Speaking of the British Navy, Lord Halifax said: "You may take it that they are not idle, and that the fullest information that is possible and consistent with public interest will be given.

"We cannot exactly judge what may have been the German motive in thus opening war in Scandinavia. It may well be the result of some internal weakness in Germany of which we are not perhaps wholly aware, but this I think I can say with certainty, and that it is not likely to be of advantage to Germany.

"I think in these events lies a moral for neutral states. This country or France could at any moment during the last six months have occupied any port or base in Norway that we chose, and this kind of thing I venture to think is liable to happen if neutral states are not prepared to ask in time for the help that they often ask for when it is all too late to render it effectively.

"The fact that the more defenceless of Germany's neighbours have been chosen for this aggression is quite in keeping with the conventional behaviour of a bully who prefers to choose, as objects of attack, those who are not sufficiently powerful to defend themselves."

No Offence Given Nazis

After referring to the manner in which Germany broke the non-aggression pact with Denmark, Lord Halifax said Norway, had been careful to give Germany no cause for offence, and "it is, therefore, clear that neither non-aggression pacts nor absence of provocation is of the least avail against German policy if German policy demands otherwise."

The Foreign Secretary referred to the German violation of every provision of international law, and said: "I don't think the Allies could have been expected indefinitely to acquiesce in injustices so patent and so glaring, and they therefore took steps consisting in the laying of minefields."

The truth was that in face of Germany's actions, nobody who was not in a position to defend himself was safe.

Soviet Rapprochement Issue

Proceeding, Lord Halifax said there were those who would wish them to declare war on Russia, and others who would have them seek a rapprochement with the Soviets.

"We do not consider this question only against the background of the Soviet Union's wanton attacks on Poland and Finland," added Lord Halifax, "but rather in the light of that which must, in my judgment, remain our principal objective—namely, defeat of Germany.

"It follows that the future of our relations with Russia must depend, and ought to depend, more than anything else upon the degree of effective help she may, for whatever reason, wish to give Germany."—Reuter.

Sweden Gives Assurance of Neutrality to Germany

Liberty Reserved to Take Defence Measures; State of Partial Air Protection Enforced

Stockholm, Apr. 10.

GERMANY has made a demarche asking Sweden to observe strict neutrality, according to an announcement by the Premier, M. Per Albin Hansson. The Government, he added, replied that it intended to maintain neutrality, but reserved the liberty to take measures necessary for the maintenance and defence of neutrality.

A state of partial air protection came into force in Sweden at midday. The step has been taken owing to the seriousness of Sweden's situation. It does not, however, involve evacuation or blackout, but applies only to certain air-raid precautions arrangements, such as fire-fighting and first-aid services.—Reuter.

London, Apr. 10.

Swedish circles in London state that the German Government had not put pressure upon Sweden to accept "protection" such as was forced upon Denmark.

At the same time Reuter's Diplomatic correspondent learns Scandinavian circles feel that the Germans do not need to threaten but merely to continue their present operations in southern Norway, to cut Sweden off from help in the West and, having thus isolated her, bring her within the German orbit at leisure. Scandinavian quarters in London consider that the German aim is to "encircle" Sweden by making the German occupation of Norway and Denmark complete, rather than to undertake direct action against her at this stage.—Reuter.

German Mine-Layer Sunk

Stockholm, Apr. 9.

A German mine-layer was torpedoed today off the west coast of Sweden. No mines were laid by the German Navy at or close to the entrances to Swedish ports in the Skagerrak, as alleged in reports abroad, the Swedish Admiralty announced in a communique at 10.50 p.m. today. The authorities nevertheless took the precautionary measure of ordering all Swedish ships en route to Scandinavian ports or intending to go to such ports to turn back and make for Swedish ports or else to remain where they are if in harbour.

Swedish Radio late tonight also issued an announcement declaring the Cabinet held an all-day meeting, thoroughly studying the Swedish situation in the new circumstances. "Despite the terrible gravity of the situation," it declared, "the capital remains calm. The Government has the Swedish people united behind it and nothing will be left undone to preserve the neutrality of the country."

Swedish Radio emphasized that in reply to a German demarche, the Swedish Government has already asserted it is determined to maintain its integral neutrality. At the same time, however, the Government reserved the right to take whatever measures it considers necessary for the defence of the country's neutrality and independence, the Radio concluded.—Havas.

Sweden Fully Prepared

SPECIAL TO THE "N.C.D.N."

London, Apr. 10.

Although a report from Stockholm states that rumours of general mobilization in Sweden are unfounded, Reuter learns that the country is in a state of preparedness and readiness. Swedish circles in London state that Sweden's position is that she will resist any invasion, but if no attempt is made to interfere with her sovereignty, she will seek to maintain complete neutrality. It is further stressed in the quarters that no appeal has been received from Norway in present circumstances. There is no mutual assistance pact between the two countries.—Reuter.

Nazi Ultimatum Expected

London, Apr. 9.

Sweden will fight for her independence if placed before the alternative of German "peaceful occupation" or German invasion, a Swedish spokesman here announced tonight. The belief that Germany will shortly send an ultimatum to the Swedish Government was voiced in many Swedish quarters here. Berlin will demand permission for its troops to pass through Swedish territory to Norway. This permission Sweden will not grant. As she refused the Allies authorization to send troops to Finland, so she will refuse Germany authorization to send her invaders to Norway.

The problem of a German threat to Sweden was no doubt discussed this morning by the Foreign Secretary, Lord Halifax, and the Permanent Secretary of the Swedish Foreign Ministry who is visiting in London, informed quarters said. Lord Halifax also reiterated Allied pledges of help to Sweden should Germany send her forces to the attack.—Havas.

London Sceptical Of Oslo Parleys

Radio Reports Suspect; Norwegian Storting Said Endorsing Peace Efforts

London, Apr. 10.

There is no confirmation by the Norwegian Legation in London or the Foreign Office of reports that Norway has agreed to negotiate with Germany.

A British spokesman said reports coming from sources under German control should be heavily discounted. So long as Oslo remained in German hands, he added, news from so-called Norwegian sources could no more be relied upon than stories emanating from the Propaganda Ministry in Berlin.

Official quarters here have no information of the report that Norway is preparing to negotiate with the German Government. They advise that it should be treated with great reserve.

Telephonic communication between Oslo and Stockholm was restored early today, states the Rome Radio.—Reuter.

Germans Occupy Hamar

Berlin, Apr. 10.

German forces today occupied Hamar to which city the Government had originally evacuated from the capital, authoritative Nazi quarters announced.—United Press.

Germans March on Elverum

Stockholm, Apr. 10.

German troops are reported to be marching on Elverum, near Hamar, where the Norwegian Parliament met last night. Numerous German aircraft were seen near the Swedish-Norwegian border today. Some are alleged to have flown slightly over Swedish territory.

Following last night's meeting of the Storting at Hamar, the Norwegian Government has moved to an unknown place, according to the Oslo correspondent of the "Dagens Nyheter." Newspapers in Stockholm report that the Germans are now patrolling the streets of Oslo. It is estimated that 120 Norwegians were killed during the occupation of Oslo. German forces in Oslo are stated to number 400.

Storting Meets in Elverum

Norway is preparing to negotiate with Germany, according to a dispatch from the Norwegian Press Agency.

The Norwegian Parliament met last night at the small town of Elverum, east of Hamar, and approved the proposal from the Government to nominate a committee of three, "with the aim of negotiating an agreement with the German authorities in conformity with the objectives elaborated by the Prime Minister." They appointed M. Ivar Lykke. M. Johan Mowinckel (both former Premiers) and M. J. Sundby M. J. Nygaardsvold, the Premier, said: "I am sure that the people desire what we desire. If this is so, we can hope that the disaster which struck us, will have a happy conclusion."—Reuter.

Norway to Continue Fight

Paris, Apr. 10.

Norway's intention to continue to resist and fight for her integrity and independence, was announced by the Norwegian Premier, M. J. Nygaardsvold, at a meeting of the Norwegian Parliament, held at Elverum today, according to the Helsinki Radio. The announcement was unanimously approved by the Parliament.—Reuter.

Pro-Berlin "Government"

Berlin, Apr. 10.

A new Norwegian "government" was proclaimed at Oslo last night under the leadership of M. Vickun Quisling, leader of the anti-Communist National Union Party, the Oslo correspondent of the German news agency, D.N.B., reported here.

M. Quisling proclaimed the establishment of the new "government" in a radio broadcast at 8 o'clock last night. Declaring himself head of the new "Government," he criticized the British mining of Norwegian waters. He said the "old government" took inadequate measures against the Allies for their action in Norwegian territorial waters. M. Quisling announced that his Cabinet will include Major R. Wosslew, as Minister of Defence; M. Gulerand Lunde, Minister of Social Affairs; Dr. Jonas Lie, Minister of Justice; Professor Ernst Skanske, Minister of Labour. M. Quisling also holds the Minister of Foreign Affairs portfolio, D.N.B. announced.—United Press.

Prediction of Hitler Designs on Scandinavia Recalled

Dr. Rauschning, Former Nazi Leader, Writes Of Fuehrer's Ambitions in "Hitler Told Me"

Paris, Apr. 9.

A surprisingly accurate prediction of the German march into Scandinavia was recalled today by Parisian circles, who quote the conversations which took place between Hitler and Dr. Hermann Rauschning, former National-Socialist chief of the Danzig government, and recorded in the book "Hitler Told Me" by Dr. Rauschning.

"This is the naked truth," Dr. Rauschning wrote. "Hitler had told me, in conversations we had, that, in the future war, there would be no neutral nations; the Scandinavian states, as well as Holland and Belgium, would be integrated into the Reich. If war broke out, one of the first acts would be the invasion of Sweden, as he could not abandon the Scandinavian states to the influence of Russia or England. I told him that the occupation of the large peninsula, where practically no roads exist, would require relatively important numbers of troops. He answered that he did not intend to take the entire country, but merely the principal ports, economic centres, and above all the iron mines. 'It will be a risky enterprise, but an interesting one, and one that will have had no parallel in history. Under the protection of the war fleet, and with the mighty aid of the air force, I will strike suddenly in a series of rapid attacks. For the most part, Sweden will not be able to offer an efficacious defence. Even if one or the other of the attempts fails, the great majority of the objectives will be attained and it goes without saying that we will not release our hold on these objectives. When I looked astonished he added that, to assure the success of his policy, it would be necessary beforehand to sow Sweden with accomplices and propagandists. As a matter of fact, the lightning attacks would not necessarily be the prelude to a permanent annexation of the Scandinavian countries to a German federative system unless we could cause the overthrow of the present regime and win Sweden to the German cause. The Swedes would no more go to war now than in 1905, during the split with Norway.

"'I would make this decision as easy as possible for them, and I should particularly tell them that this is not a conquest, but simply a collaboration imposed by circumstances, and which would be desired by Sweden herself if she would cease worrying about her neutrality. I would tell them that I have come to help them to permit the elements of good-will to make their decision in all possible freedom under my protection."—Havas.

Danish, Norwegian Ships Held in Hongkong

Detention Follows Issue of Special Gazette

Hongkong, Apr. 10.

One Danish ship and three Norwegian vessels have been detained by the port authorities as a result of a special proclamation issued by the Hongkong Government today.

The Hongkong Government, in an extraordinary listing in the official gazette, empowered the authorities to forbid the clearance of the ships of any nationality without giving any reasons for the action.

After the publication of the gazette, the port authorities detained the Danish-owned Peter Maersk and the Norwegian-owned Kronviken, Mimer and Reinholdt.—United Press.

Annual Cathedral Meeting Held

Dean Trivett Declines N. Z. Invitation to Continue Work Here

Dean A.C.S. Trivett, M.A., D.D., recently was offered a bishopric in New Zealand but declined because he felt that he could do more useful work in Shanghai, according to an announcement made at the annual meeting of the subscribers of Holy Trinity Cathedral, held in the temporary Church house at 5.30 p.m. yesterday, Mr. A. H. George, H.M. Consul-General, presiding. Members of the Vestry and Trustees who supported him included Dean Trivett, the Rev. F. W. Weaver, L.T.H., F.C.I.S., Mr. P. W. Massey, Dr. E. G. Gauntlett, Mr. S. Flemons, Mr. H. F. Baker, Mr. H. K. Peters and Mr. L. G. Day.

In addressing the meeting after being introduced by Dean Trivett, Mr. George said that he was particularly interested in reading the report prepared by the Dean and the Wardens and strongly endorsed the opinions expressed therein regarding the organist and the choir. Before Sir Robert Calder Marshall presented the accounts of the Trustees, Mr. George congratulated the Dean on the 12th anniversary of his appointment as Dean, which he celebrated two days ago, and on the 16th anniversary as member of the staff of the Cathedral which he will celebrate on May 1.

Sir Robert then told the meeting how the Dean had come to him for advise some ten days ago, regarding the invitation he had received from the Archbishop of Sydney to accept a bishopric in New Zealand. It was at that moment, the speaker added, that he fully realized how much the very close contacts maintained by the Dean here were worth, and how impossible it would be to replace him.

Taking a detached view of the whole matter, Sir Robert added, he told the Dean at the time that it would be in his interests to accept the invitation, but both he and Mrs. Trivett had taken the view that they could be of more service here and refused the offer.

Expediture Higher

With reference to the adoption of the report and accounts of the Vestry, Mr. S. Flemons, acting hon. treasurer, stated that $27,042.23 had been spent as against the original figure fixed in the budget of $24,800.

In comparison with the expenses for the year 1938, Mr. Flemons continued, $8,483 more were spent during the year under review. Choir expenses have been higher due to the purchase of surplices, while office and general expenses have also increased beyond the level for the previous year. Increased water, light and fuel costs, together with the high cost of living allowances which had to be granted to the Chinese staff, Mr. Flemons added, were mainly responsible.

The Assistant Clergy Fund remained about the same, Mr. Flemons continued, for while a saving had been made on Mr. Ottewell's rent allowance, this had been offset by an allowance needed for the services of another assistant during Mr. Ottewell's absence. Mr. Flemons also pointed out that $6,000 had been paid to the Trustees towards the upkeep of the Cathedral as against $2,000 for the previous year.

Higher Income

In commenting on the budget for the current year, Mr. Flemons stated that a somewhat higher figure had been allowed for the organist and choir expenses to cover a small increase in the organist honorarium. After referring to other increased expenditures, Mr. Flemons said that the assured income was $26,195 as against $19,513 of the previous year. Reference was also made to the Alms Fund Account which showed an increase of $6,644 in 1939 as compared with the previous year.

After the question of rental for Mr. Ottewell's flat was brought up, the chairman announced the names of nominees for the posts of Wardens. They are Messrs. H. F. Baker, L. G. Day, S. Flemons, G. E. Marden, H. K. Peters and T. L. Rawsthorne. Mr. L. H. Barton proposed and Mr. S. J. Williams seconded these nominations.

Dr. E. G. Gauntlett, formally appointed Sir Robert Calder Marshall, as Trustees' Warden.

The Very Rev. Dean A. C. S. Trivett formally appointed Mr. E. E. Parsons as the Dean's Warden.

Vote of Thanks

Dean Trivett than proposed a vote of thanks to the Chairman saying.

"I would like on behalf of the subscribers to express our pleasure at your appointment, Mr. George, as Consul-General in Shanghai and to assure you that we in the Cathedral are very delighted with that appointment. We know you to be a keen churchman and we hope that the desire which you expressed to me the other day, to be regular in your attendance at church, will be fulilled.

"I propose a very hearty vote of thanks as we are all very greatful to you for taking the chair for us this afternoon." (Applause).

Mr. George suitably replied.

Bremen Said Sunk With 1,300 Men on Board

Berlin Denies Knowledge of Report from Amsterdam

Amsterdam, Apr. 9.

The 51,731-ton German liner Bremen was sunk today, with 1,300 soldiers aboard while acting as a mility transport, to Norway, rumours of wide local circulation alleged tonight.

The Bremen was the pride of the German mercantile marine, the fifth largest liner in the world. She was caught overseas by the outbreak of the war last September and made a quick dash across the northern Atlantic to seek refuge in the Soviet port of Murmansk. After some time in Murmansk, her captain took her out again to sail through Norwegian territorial waters to Germany. Once, en route, she was sighted by a British submarine, but was allowed to pass unharmed because she was a merchant ship and, since a German warplane was circling overhead, the submarine could give no warning.—Havas.

Germans Deny Knowledge

Berlin, Apr. 10.

German quarters here last night denied knowledge of British reports that the German liner Bremen had been sunk.—United Press.

Fierce Naval Engagement Fought Off Norway

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fighting. Four cruisers, carrying aircraft, are stated to have landed troops, who were mostly Czechs and Austrians.—Reuter.

Two German Cruisers Sunk

Berlin, Apr. 10.

Two German cruisers, the Bluecher, one of Germany's latest 10,000-ton, heavily armed cruisers, and the Karlsruhe, a 6,000-ton ship, were sunk during naval operations off the Norwegian coast, the German high command announced today.

The Bluecher, which carried eight 8-inch guns and 24 other guns, struck a minefield and sank after several mines exploded, the announcement said. The Karlsruhe was sunk after protecting the landing of troops at Kristiansand, Norway, the high command announced. Further details of the sinking of the two cruisers were not available.

The Bluecher was laid down in 1935 and completed only recently. It was designed to travel 32 knots an hour. The Karlsruhe was an older and smaller ship than the Bluecher and was completed in 1930. It carried seventeen guns and travelled 32 knots and hour.

Allied Warship Bombed

German planes severely damaged one, and set afire another British warship during an attack on the British Fleet in the North Sea last night, the German wireless reported here. Quoting reports from German planes, the German wireless said, "One enemy ship lies with a heavy list and another is aflame and oil patches cover the sea."

The action occurred in the northern part of the North Sea, the wireless said. The British squadron included battleships, heavy and light cruisers and destroyers, the wireless said. Two British battleships were hit by three heavy bombs each, the wireless reported.

Authorized Nazi sources, referring to British Admiralty announcements of naval and air engagements in Norwegian waters, ironically pointed out today that "the British have claimed to have sunk more heavy cruisers and German ships than Germany actually possessed.—United Press.

French Units Participating

Paris, Apr. 10.

"We have French units on the spot, and there is the most complete cooperation between the French and the British in the North Sea, which is a British sphere of operations," declared a French naval spokesman today in referring to naval operations in the North Sea. Since the Norwegian Government left the capital, he added, communications had not been re-established, and many reports received from Stockholm were of German origin.—Reuter.

British Sub Gets Nazi Ship

Amsterdam, Apr. 10.

A British submarine torpedoed and sank the 7,129-ton Hamburg-America line's steamer Amasis yesterday while the German ship was en route from Stetting to Oslo, the Stockholm radio announced last night.

The radio report reiterated earlier dispatches saying that a "great naval battle" was in progress off the Norwegian coast between British and German warships.

The Amasis was believed to have been in transport service when sunk by the British submarine.—United Press.

Two Nazi Troopships Sunk

Amsterdam, Apr. 10.

The Berlin Correspondent of the "Handelsblad" says it seems to be true that one or two German troopships have been torpedoed, and a certain number of German losses in the air are admitted. But otherwise, it is claimed that the German forces have effected operations without noteworthy interference.—Reuter.

Two Norwegian Cruisers Sunk

Stockholm, Apr. 10.

The Norwegian cruisers Norge and Eidsvold were sunk in the harbour of Narvik by the Germans, the "Social Demokraten" reported this morning. In the sinkings, 560 officers and men met their death. The British steamer Import was sunk by German planes, the paper added.

Other reports from Narvik, say a naval battle started there between British and German ships outside Roest and three German units are believed to have been sunk. The port of Svolvoer has probably been occupied by the Germans.—Havas.

Election and War Fevers Compete in Shanghai

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made. Six special telephone lines were placed in the American Club, opposite the Drill Hall, and volunteer workers covered the entire American voting list. Every American ratepayer also received a Bentleys Ltd. telegram yesterday morning to remind him of his duty.

Well Satisfied

The British Election Committee was also active, bringing to a climax its work since last month to secure a full British vote. Observers present at both stations were well satisfied with the British turn out. Transport was provided for many Britons and along Kiangse Road there was one continual stream of such vehicles, most of them containing from four to six voters.

All voting will cease at 3 p.m. today and the results of the election will be announced, if possible, later in the evening. It is expected that a 100 per cent. vote of ratepayers will have been registered as the polls close today. Mr. R. Middleton, Deputy Commissioner (Revenue) of the Finance Department, is in control of the Drill Hall station, and Mr. A. J. Comery of the Revenue Office is in charge at Hongkew.

Soviet Troops Leave Petsamo Region

Helsinki, Apr. 10.

In accordance with the Finnish-Soviet peace treaty, Russian troops today started to evacuate the Petsamo district which is gradually reoccupied by Finnish forces. Soviet troops are now fifteen kilometres from Linahamaru, on the Arctic Ocean.—Havas.

Retaliation to Be Considered in U.S.

Chamber of Commerce May Adopt Request for Action Against Japanese

Washington, Apr. 10.

Proposals for a firm United States Far Eastern policy, including the recommendation that the United States retaliate against Japanese restrictions placed on American trade in China, will be considered by the United States Chamber of Commerce at its annual meeting on April 29, it was announced today.

The United States chamber of Commerce here has published proposals by member chambers, including the Shanghai chamber, on every aspect of United States policy.

The Shanghai American Chamber of Commerce has proposed:

1. A declaration emphasizing the importance of developing and maintaining business opportunities for Americans in China on equality with those of any other nation.

2. A recommendation that the declared policy of the United States Government be to hold warring nations in the Far East fully responsible for damages done to Americans.

3. An advocation that restrictions and discriminations be applied against Japanese trade and shipping in the United States to correspond with the Japanese restrictions and discriminations against United States trade in China.

4. The development of the United States merchant marine with efficient and dependable crews.

These proposals, along with other proposals, will form the basis of the United States Commerce Chamber's annual declaring policy which determines the Chamber's official attitude on all Congressional legislation until the next annual Chamber meeting.—United Press.

R.A.F. Destroy Nazi Cruiser in Bergen

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the Skagger Rack. It is reported from Gothenburg that German minelayers were busy all day in the Skagger Rack.

German troops reached the outskirts of Oslo at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon, states an announcement by the Norwegian news agency indicating the speed of the invasion. Strategic points in the city are said to have been occupied a short time later.

German planes flew over Oslo throughout the day and Norwegian anti-aircraft defences went into action. A German plane and one or two Norwegian planes were shot down.

The Norwegian Legation was besieged by Norwegians offering their services to fight for their country. Offers also are being received from nationals of other countries.

Coastal Batteries Active

Guns of the Oscarborg Fortress, near the mouth of Oslo Fjord, which had been in action throughout yesterday, were still thundering against the German invaders last night, it is reported here.

According to the Norwegian Admiralty, the Germans bombed the Olso east station three times without scoring a direct hit.

A communique by the Norwegian Admiralty says German warships during the night forced their way past a fortress at the outer part of Oslo Fjord, after being engaged by coast batteries. One cruiser forced its way past the Oscarborg Fortress, but ran aground later. Other warships bombed Horten. The Germans bombed the Oslo east station three times without scoring a direct hit, the communique adds. Several persons were injured when the airport at Kijeller on the outskirts of Oslo was attacked.—Reuter.

Norwegian Defence Line

Stockholm, Apr. 10.

The Norwegian Army has taken up a defensive line from a point near Oslo to Hamar, it was understood here last night. The Norwegian Army is confident it will be able to hold the line against the invading German juggernaut until the nation can be fully mobilized, it was said.—United Press.

Germans Claim Control

Berlin, Apr. 10.

The German High Command claims that all bases of military importance in Norway are in German hands. It says Oslo, Tronheim, Bergen, Narvik, Stavanger and Khristiansand are "strongly occupied."

Where serious resistance was encountered it was broken, for instance at Oslo and Khristiansand, states the announcement. Coastal fortifications are now ready to repel any enemy attack, the statement asserts.—Reuter.

Nazi Civilians Aid

Paris, Apr. 10.

It is officially disclosed that the occupation of some Norwegian ports was carried out by Germans on the spot either disguised as tourists or as crews of German merchantmen in port. Effectives holding these points are, therefore, few.

Naval engagements were fought yesterday off Oslo, Bergen and Tronheim, according to well-informed quarters here. A German cruiser is reported to have been sunk in Oslo Fjord. A warning was issued here against accepting reports of German successes in Norway, which are regarded as attempts to terrorize neutrals.—Reuter.

Iceland Not Recognizing Danish "Fait Accompli"

British Naval Precautions Against Nazi Invasion

London, Apr. 10.

Ireland, united with Denmark by a personal bond of union, has refused to recognize the *fait accompli* in that country.

Observers here do not believe that Germany will attack Iceland, but stress that the British Government have taken measures to counteract such an attack should it occur.

As for the Faroe Islands, it is stated here that, although they are beyond the reach of German attacks, it is probable that the British Admiralty will order their occupation without waiting to consider the juridical aspect of such a move.—Havas.

Norwegians Eager To Fight

Paris, Apr. 10.

Norwegian volunteers called throughout yesterday at the Norwegian Legation, offering their services to fight for Norway. Their names were taken and they were told to hold themselves in readiness.—Reuter.

Canadians Volunteer

SPECIAL TO THE "N.C.D.N."

Montreal, Apr. 10.

Canadians "in enormous numbers" have offered to cross the Atlantic to fight in defence of Norway, declared the Norwegian Consul-General, here today. Pending instructions from the Norwegian Government, he added, no action would be taken.—Reuter.

H.M. Envoy May Be Held Prisoner

London Without News of Legation in Copenhagen; Contact with Norwegians

London, Apr. 10.

It is officially confirmed in London that the Norwegian Government is now at Hamar and that the British Minister, Sir Cecil F. J. Dormer, and his staff are with the government officials. The Foreign Office has re-established communication with the Legation and has received news that the Norwegian Government is in good spirits and bent on resistance.

Similar news was not available of Mr. C. Howard Smith, British Minister to Denmark. Since all communication has been cut off between here and Denmark, it is assumed Mr. Smith and his staff were captured when the Germans over-ran the country. This would be a grave breach of international custom, if not of international law. It is possible that the Legation staff, if held prisoner, may be released later.

Pending a more careful examination of the situation created by the German invasion of Denmark, Britain is inclined to regard it as a nation occupied by the enemy, similar to Czechoslovakia. The same thing will presumably apply to Danish diplomatic and consular representatives in every part of the British Empire.

A statement is likely to be made on this and also regarding the status of Iceland and the Faroe Islands, which are linked with the Danish State.—Reuter.

French Envoy with Government

Paris, Apr. 9.

M. Andre Bruere, French Minister to Norway, followed the Norwegian Government to Hamar, north of Oslo, it was announced here tonight in categorical denial of rumours that the American Legation had been asked to take charge of French interests in Norway. M. Bruere tonight was exercising his functions normally, it was stated.—Havas.

Lord Halifax Broadcasts To Norway

"Britain and Norway Will Fight Until Victory"

London, Apr. 10.

An expression of warm sympathy and encouragement to the government and people of Norway, in the fight which they had unhesitatingly and courageously undertaken against German aggression, was conveyed by the Foreign Secretary, Lord Halifax, in a message broadcast in Norwegian last night.

He also broadcast in the Danish language.

"Norway has for long been one of the foremost leaders of the world in the arts of peace and good government," he said. "Side by side Britain and Norway will fight until victory has been won."

In his message in Danish the Foreign Secretary said that for the second time Denmark had been brutally invaded by Germany. The British people received the news with deep indignation, he said. The event had strengthened British resolve to pursue the war until Europe shall be liberated from the "menace of Prussian aggression," Lord Halifax stated.—Reuter.

New Phase of War Entered

Lord Harlech Warns Home Defence to Be Alert

London, Apr. 10.

"We are entering a new phase of the war. Every man in the civil defence force has got to be ready."

This was the warning uttered by Lord Harlech, north-east regional commissioner for civil defence, in a speech at Hull last night.

He said there was no people with whom Britons had more in common than the Scandinavians, now threatened with a "most cruel, brutal and savage onslaught."

The war had blown up and who knew where it would turn next? he stated.—Reuter.

Partnership Case In H.M. Court

In an all-day hearing in H. M. Surpeme Court before Judge Sir Allan Mossop, yesterday, Messrs. F. Allan, C. E. Pinel, W. T. Cromby and R. E. L. Beardsworth of the firm of Nielsen & Malcolm, claimed nominal damages for breach of partnership contract, Mr. T. A. T. Begg, formerly a partner in the firm, was the defendant. Mr. J. R. Jones acted on behalf of the plaintiffs and Mr. K. E. Newman appeared for the defence.

In opening his case, Mr. Jones stated that the defendant had been a partner of the firm until July 25, 1938. In the deed of partnership, Mr. Jones continued, restrictions for a retired or expelled partner were clearly defined in that the retiring partner would not be permitted to engage in business as a consulting engineer, surveyor or fire-loss assessor in Shanghai, Canton and environs for a minimum period of five years.

The hearing of the case was adjourned until 10 a.m. today.

London Refutes New Nazi "Excuse"

Holland, Belgium Not In Least Menaced But German Threat Latent

London, Apr. 10.

A suggestion in German quarters that the Allies are contemplating an invasion of Holland or Belgium is fantastic, says an official statement issued in London. It is being suggested in German circles, states the announcement, that Britain is planning an invasion of Holland or Belgium and that Germany would be justified in forestalling such action.

After the wanton invasion of Denmark and Norway by Germany, the immediate conclusion at which most people would be tempted to arrive is that, as usual, Germany is preparing the ground for a fresh assault upon some other neutral country, the statement continues.

Any suggestion that Great Britain or France is contemplating an attack on Holland or Belgium is so fantastic that nobody outside Germany could for a moment be deceived by it, the statement concludes.—Reuter.

Belgian Leaders Confer

Brussels. Apr. 9.

Belgian Government and military leaders gathered in conclave today as Germany went ahead with the invasion of Denmark and Norway. The Premier M. Hubert Pierlot, conferred twice with the War Minister, General Denis, and then received the Foreign Minister, M. Paul-Henri Spaak. In the evening, the leaders of the Belgian Army held a separate meeting. —Havas.

Further Precautions

Amsterdam, Apr. 10.

Government circles are taking a more pessimistic view of the situation, and to be prepared for any eventuality, a number of further precautions have been taken.

All last night and this morning special trains were rumbling through Holland, taking soldiers back from leave. At Utrecht, the centre point of this activity, the authorities spent the entire night working out details for handling extra traffic. Loudspeakers were installed at stations to give directions to troops.

At Chailian, passengers were asked to co-operate as far as possible, and to put up with the very restricted service that was being put on for them. At a number of points crisis measures have been taken, and guards have been strengthened on strategic bridges, roads and airfields. —Reuter.

Consul, Radio Station Manager Protest Jam

Must Ascertain Facts, Says Japanese Consul-General

Mr. R. P. Butrick, Consul in Charge of the American Consulate-General in Shanghai, and Mr. L. E. Healy, manager of radio station XMHA, called on Mr. Y. Miura, Japanese Consul-General in Shanghai, yesterday afternoon, to request that the interference which has been jamming the station be discontinued. the Japanese Embassy spokesman said yesterday. Mr. Miura pointed out to the American official and the radio station manager that actual facts would have to be ascertained before any steps could be taken.

On April 6, the spokesman said, Mr. Butrick telephoned to the Japanese Consul-General to say that there appeared to be interference with the wavelength of an American-owned radio station for several days. A letter from Mr. Butrick to Mr. Miura on April 9 on the same subject gave the location of the alleged source of interference. Upon investigation it was revealed that the place mentioned was not interfering with the broadcast of XMHA and consequently it had not yet been ascertained from where the interference was coming or whether it was caused by Japanese or other nationals.

As a result of the interference, the spokesman said, XMHA shifted its wavelength, overlapping a Japanese station which had been on the air for some time. The Japanese station made representations to XMHA because of this interference and XMHA returned to its original wavelength.

THE STAGE

Night Must Fall"

A PLAY IN THREE ACTS BY EMLYN WILLIAMS

The Lord Chief Justice	E. G. Smith-Wright
Mrs. Bramson	Pat Merritt
Olivia Grayne	Joyce Middleton
Hubert Laurie	James Sifton
Nurse Libby	Joyce Whittington
Mrs. Terence	Ruth Arnold-Jones
Dora Parkoe (her maid)	Kitty Sharp
Inspector Belsize	Stanley Chisholm
Dah	W. H. Spring

Shanghai audiences recently had their spines chilled by the film version of "Night Must Fall" and those at the Lyceum Theatre last night had the same experience in a slightly different shade when the Amateur Dramatic Club gave their first presentation of the play. Robert Montgomery in the film portrayed a lolling, carefree deadliness while W. H. Spring on the stage last night was a more energetic and dapper killer. The story of the charming murderer unwound very effectively last night and if somewhat rough on the edges, it did rivet the attention of the audience as the repressed atmosphere of excitement was carefully sustained on the stage. One of the main reasons the success of the play was the fine performance of Joyce Middleton as the niece who sees through the light-hearted veneer of Dan. In the second act, when there was a general tendency to overplay the parts and a surfeit of fidgeting, her unstrained naturalness was delightful to see. She was the only one whose words and gestures seemed to be inspired from within and occasionally when she was caught in a train of weird thought, the words that flowed from her created an eerie atmosphere throughout the theatre. This is not to say that the other roles were weak, for as the play progressed, it took shape and "the killer" in his half-frenzied monologues was all that could be desired. His smothering scene proved an anti-climax rather than a climax to some fine acting.

The pillow which was to snuff out the life of the dear old lady who simply doted on him, hovered round her head a surprisingly long time until one became rather used to the sight of it. If he could have been stalking forward with the cushion at the ready, all the while chatting amiably with his unsuspecting victim, the effect might have been sinister. Then too, as in previous A.D.C. productions, the timing was faulty sometimes. For instance, a player is supposed to be interrupted by another player, instead of which, his words die off in mid-air (for no apparent reason) well before the interrupter takes up his lines.

However, these technical flaws were wholly unable to prevent a good show from giving a large audience a thorougly entertaining evening. The well-selected cast of nine were chiefly responsible. First of all, E. G. Smith-Wright, who also produced the play, made an excellent speech as the learned judge presenting the case, brought out in the play, to the jury (the audience). Then Pat Merritt as the squawking old hypochondriac who is completely taken in by the villain was very good, particularly in the latter scenes in which she displays stark terror. James Sifton as Hubert Laurie, the boring swain, is just right for the part of British mediocrity in its worst form. Although Ruth Arnold-Jones tended to caricature her part as the strident cook, her insolent simple-mindedness (as the cook) provided excellent comedy. Kitty Sharp played the role of a maid who had been "done wrong" very well, while Mr. Chisholm again was the ideal police inspector. For an amateur cast really to alarm a jaded audience is something unusual.—R.R.R.

Insurance Co. Starts Action in U.S. Court

The American Asiatic Underwriters, Fed. Inc. U.S.A., were the plaintiffs in an action heard before Judge Milton J. Helmick in the United States Court for China yesterday, to determine whether or not insurance company shares are made unlawful investments for China Trade Act companies.

Miss A. Viola Smith, as China Trade Act Registrar, was the defendant. Mr. George Richardson appeared for the plaintiffs while Mr. Leighton Shields acted on behalf of the defendant. The hearing was adjourned.

Allies to Blockade Nazi-Held Norway

French Premier States Half German Fleet Now Exposed to Allied Navies

Paris, Apr. 10.

The Allied blockade will be applied in all its force tomorrow to the regions newly-submitted to German control, the Premier, M. Paul Reynaud, declared in the Senate today. He added that in the naval operations off Norway, Germany exposed over half her fleet to British and French naval units.

Referring to the Allied blockade, he said that France wanted to put an end to the continuous dispatch of Swedish iron ore to Germany.

"We blocked the Norwegian seas," he added. "Not one ton of iron ore will leave Narvik for Germany. Germany, on her side, acted. She even acted before us. She sent her war fleet to Norway. German sailors, disguised as merchant seamen, seized several ports.

"Furthermore, Germany invaded Denmark against whom the Reich had undertaken not to resort to force. On the one hand there was a blockade operation, on the other an invasion of Denmark having no connection whatsoever with the blockade. This new violation of law by the Nazi regime is not surprising."

M. Reynaud then said that Germany has admitted the loss of two of her cruisers, the Bluecher and the Karlsruhe.

"The remaining German ships are blocked in Norwegian ports," he added.

In conclusion, the Premier paid a tribute to the French navy.

"We follow them in battle with an ardent and unanimous heart," he said.

Following the address, the Senate decided not to hold the scheduled secret session "so as to leave the Government every freedom of action." The Senate will meet again next Tuesday.—Havas.

Plane Accidentally Drops Bomb

Tokyo, Apr. 10.

Five persons were killed and six others injured when a stray air bomb exploded in Onoguchi village in Shizuoka prefecture on Monday, the War Office announced in a communiqué today.

The missile was dropped by a military aeroplane during bombing practice. The wounded are being treated at a military hospital while the families of the victims will be indemnified, the communiqué added.—Domei.

Chinese Killed In Concession

Acting swiftly, a Chinese private watchman employed at Lane 56 Route Voyron, was successful yesterday afternoon in effecting the arrest of a murderer only a few minutes after the latter had shot and killed Huang Yon-feng, 29 year-old unemployed, opposite No. 70, Route Voyron, at 4.50 p.m.

Huang was walking along the street when his assailant suddenly rushed up to him, fired three shots from an automatic pistol and decamped in the direction of Rue Dollfus. The watchman took up the chase and was soon joined by a constable on traffic duty in the vicinity. Meanwhile, the French police were informed and a van with a number of detectives arrived on the scene in a matter of minutes. When they saw the murderer being chased, the sleuths jumped from their vehicle and joined the two uniformed guardians of the law in their pursuit.

They were successful in apprehending the assassin on Rue Brenier de Montmorand. The arrested man was identified as Ling-li, alias Ling Fon-teh. He was taken to the nearest station for questioning but up to a late hour last night, refused to reveal the motive for his deed.

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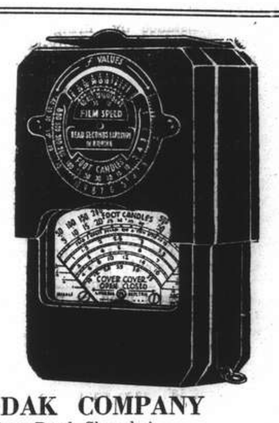

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FROM DAY TO DAY

THERE will be a celebration of Holy Communion in the Bubbling Well Chapel today at 10.30 a.m.

THE Publisher regrets that owing to late news yesterday's delivery of the "North-China Daily News" was delayed.

THE gun-boat Kiangping, newest addition to the Navy of the National Government, was launched here on Tuesday. The ceremonies were attended by a group of Chinese and Japanese officials, the "Shanghai Mainichi" reported yesterday.

A YOUTH of poor physique, aged 19, recently pleaded guilty to stealing at Mansion House Court, London and said that he wanted to be a giant, a big fellow and get into the Air Force. He therefore stole to be able to buy milk and food to make him grow. He was put on probation.

AN error crept into Mr. O. M. Green's letter published yesterday in referring to Lord Luke's director's fee, which should have read:

He is entitled to £2,500 income tax free, which would have cost the company £6,666, of which he would only receive £1,000. He thought this unfair to the shareholders and did not propose to take the fee.

THE Formosan Volunteer Corps, which has seen action on the Kwangsi front, has received orders to proceed to Chungking under Corps Commander King Jo-shan, says a Kweiyang message to the "Chinese American Daily News." The corps arrived in Kweiyang, capital of Kweichow, on April 7, and are now on their way to Chungking, the report states.

MRS. Mabel Stevenson of Cliftonville Road, Brighton, England, had two canaries, one of which she hung on the kitchen wall each night. The other she placed on the plate rack above the stove, and this unfortunately led to her undoing, for in doing so she accidentally turned a loose tap of the stove, and was found, with her pets, gassed when neighbours forced an entry into the house.

TODAY, at 5.30 p.m. there will be a joint meeting of the Royal Asiatic Society (N.C.B.) and the International Institute of China in the Wu-Lien-Teh Hall, 20 Museum Road, when a lecture on "The use of cowries as money during the Shang and Chou periods" will be delivered by Mr. H. E. Gibson. The lecture will be illustrated with lantern slides. The chair will be taken by Mr. Arthur de C. Sowerby. The meeting is open to the public.

RICH gold veins have been discovered by engineers working for the Ministry of Economic Affairs of the Chinese Government in the district of Paiyu, in Sikong province, says a Chengtu report to the "Shun Pao." The district is also famous for large quantities of jade and other minerals. The gold is located along both banks of the Ngouchi River and in the vicinity of the Lama Temple situated at the foot of a mountain range.

THE Northwest Highway Construction Bureau is now making efforts to improve the highway between Lanchow and Hsining, the respective capitals of Kansu and Tsinghai (Kokonor) provinces, states a Chungking message to the "Sin Wan Pao." The highway is being macadamized and widened while more truck repair stations are being established. These improvements will facilitate and speed up the transportation of goods from Soviet Russia, the report concludes.

THE joint administrative office of the four Chinese Government banks has decided to grant $5,000,000 as agricultural loans to aid farmers with their production during the current year. The loans will be limited to "Free China" areas only, says a report to the "Sin Wan Pao." The bank authorities have also consented to grant similar loans to farmers in East Chekiang following a request made by the Chekiang Provincial Government. These loans will be guaranteed by the Government, the report states.

THE Municipal Council has been notified that Mr. R. P. Butrick, Acting American Consul General, has been elected a Judge of the Court of Consuls to succeed Mr. C. E. Gauss and that the court is now composed of the following:—Mr. Y. Miura, Consul General for Japan (President). Mr. A. H. George, C.M.G., Consul General for Great Britain, and Mr. R. P. Butrick, Acting American Consul General. Mr. E. A. Long, Secretary of the Consular Body, will continue to act as Secretary to the Court.

THE China branch of the World Anti-Aggression League has been informed by the head office of the league at Geneva that six influential denominations of the American church are in favour of placing an embargo against Japan, says a Chungking message to the "Sin Wan Pao." The leaders of these denominations include the Rev. Butrick, Chairman of the American Christian Mission Federation, the Rev. Fosdick, Pastor of the Riverside Church in New York, and Professor Mott, Chairman of the Christian Youth World Federation.

THE programme for a Chamber-Music Concert to be given in the Lyceum Theatre on Sunday, at 6.15 p.m. is as follows:—

Sonata in E minor Op. 38 for Piano and 'Cello ..... Brahms
Allegro non troppo
Allegretto quasi Minuetto
Allegro
Marion van Buynen, Piano.
Eugen Winkler, 'Cello.

Group of Songs:
The Unforeseen ..... Cyril Scott
Les Cloches ..... Debussy
Serenade ..... Strauss
Vocalist: Ruth Fullam, (Soprano)

Piano-Quintet op. 44 in E flat major ..... Schumann
Allegro brillante
In modo d'una Marcia
Scherzo: Molto Vivace
Finale: Allegro ma non troppo
Mo. M. Paci, (Piano)
Prof. A. Fos, (I Violin)—J. Poduska, (Viola), M. Livshitz, (II Violin)—E. Winkler, ('Cello)

Divertissement for Chamber Orchestra ..... Ibert
Introduction, Cortege, Nocturne, Valse, Parade, Finale, without interuption.
Condustor: Maestro Mario Paci.

U.S.S. Wharton to Arrive in Sept.

Henderson Here in May; Chaumont May Make One More Pacific Crossing

The former ss. Southern Cross, American Republics Line vessel which was purchased by the United States Navy last year for conversion to a naval transport, has been renamed the U.S.S. Wharton and will make her first trans-Pacific trip this Summer, arriving in Shanghai some time in September. The Wharton, a vessel of 13,788 tons, will be the biggest U.S. Navy ship that has ever moored in the Whangpoo as the Augusta has a tonnage of 10,000 and the Henderson 10,500. The new transport has been named after Lieutenant-Colonel Commandant Franklin Wharton, the second Commandant of the United States Marine Corps.

Meanwhile the former ss. Santa Rita, which was bought by the Navy from the Grace Line at the same time that the Southern Cross was obtained, has also been converted to a transport and has been named after Lieutenant-Colonel William Ward Burrows, the first Commandant of the Marine Corps. The Burrows is a vessel of 4,576 tons and was formerly on the New York-Panama run of the Grace Line. It is unlikely that the Burrows will be placed on the trans-Pacific service and with the U.S.S. Chaumont being withdrawn from Orient run that will leave the Wharton and the Henderson available for trans-Pacific service while the Chaumont and the Burrows will probably be utilized for service between the East and West coasts of the United States.

Another Chaumont Trip

It is reported in local naval circles, but unconfirmed officially, that the U.S.S. Chaumont, which was taken off the Pacific run early this year, has been reassigned to the Orient run for one more trip. The Chaumont will most likely arrive in Shanghai before the Wharton makes her first trip to the Far East and will then return to the United States to be placed on the coast to coast schedule.

With an estimated 200 marines on board for duty with the Fourth Marines in Shanghai and hundreds of naval and marine personnel for duty on the various ships and stations in the Asiatics, the U.S.S. Henderson will arrive at Woosung about the first of May. The transport will debark personnel destined for Shanghai and then embark two companies from the Fourth Marines who will make their annual trip to Camp Holcomb in Chinwangtao for intensive infantry training. Approximately 270 marines who have completed their tours duty in Shanghai will board the Henderson to return to the United States upon the return of the transport from North-China.

Another ship which the Navy purchased from the Grace Line, the ss. Santa Inez, sister ship of the Santa Rita, has been converted to a survey boat.

Marine Commandants

Lieut.-Col. Burrows, whom the Santa Rita has been renamed after, was appointed Major Commandant of the newly-created Marine Corps on July 12, 1798. After the removal of the Corps headquarters to Washington from Philadelphia in 1800, Burrows was promoted to Lieutenant-Colonel. On March 6, 1804, he resigned his commission. It was under his guidance that many of the traditions and esprit-de-corps of the Marine Corps had their beginning. He died shortly after his resignation from active service and was buried in Georgetown. His remains were removed to Arlington Cemetery in Washington in 1892.

Lieut.-Col. Wharton was the second commandant of the U. S. Marine Corps. He was born on July 23, 1767, in Philadelphia, Pa. He was appointed captain in the Marine Corps on August 3, 1798, and during the naval war with France he served on board the frigate United States. Afterwards he was Commanding Officer of the Marines in Philadelphia. During the early years of his office as Commandant the Marine Barracks and the Commandant's quarters in Washington were completed. Under his command uniforms and equipment were standardized throughout the Corps and military practices were made more uniform. He was also responsible for the development of the Marine Band, which is one of the foremost musical aggregations in the United States today. He died in New York on September 1, 1818.

Gold Bars Touch New Record

$250 Increase Reported in Twenty-four Hours

As a reaction towards the latest developments in the European war, the price of the 10-ounce gold bar in Shanghai, which is usually used by the local Chinese to gauge prices of other commodities, has created yet another record being increased by more than $250 as compared with the figure quoted 24 hours before.

The new high reached on Tuesday was $5,660 per bar thus breaking all previous records. Recently, it will be recalled, the Chinese expressed alarm over the soaring price of gold here and when the gold bar reached the $5,500 mark it was stated that a new record was created. The price has been following a downward trend for the past two or three days until suddenly the worsening of the situation in Europe was reported.

Buying activities were at once accelerated to such a degree that at one time there were no buyers at all in the "black" or unofficial gold exchange market here. Most of the buyers were native banks. Even the price of ornamental gold jumped up forcing all gold and silver ornament shops to change their price plates five times. The ornamental gold fluctuated around $570 per ounce, which is another record.

Chinese speculators are reported to be buying American foreign exchange despite the fact that sellers are reluctant to do transactions. Hongkong speculators are reported to be extremely active in this respect.

"N.C.D.N." Photo.

Wedding of Mr. John Sparke and Miss Lawford

The wedding took place yesterday afternoon in Holy Trinity Cathedral of Mr. John Sparke, son of Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Sparke of Shanghai, and Miss Hamilla Lawford, elder daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Lawford of Shanghai. The matron of honour was Mrs. Cole, the bridesmaid Miss Jimmie Holwill, and the train-bearer and page Joanna Silby and David Howell. Mr. K. M. Cumming was best man and the ushers were Messrs. C. Cumming, W. H. Droogleever, G. Bichard, and N. Stabb.

Japanese Comment On Elections

Fair Representation Will Continue to Be Demanded; Opposing Propaganda Hit

Whether the five Japanese candidates for the Shanghai Municipal Council are elected or not, the Japanese demand for fair representation will not be changed, the Japanese Embassy spokesman said yesterday. The object in nominating five Japanese candidates, he said, was to achieve gradual reform of the administration of the International Settlement so that it would be true to its name and conducted along international lines with all nationals represented. Asked if the Japanese would demand more seats on the Council in the event the five were not all elected the spokesman replied that there would be another election next year.

Considering that the five Japanese nominees are able and respected members of the Japanese community, continued the spokesman, and besides that have a good understanding of international relations, they may be expected to carry out their duties in a fitting manner, with full realization of the responsibilities placed upon them.

High Principles

The statements of the Japanese candidates, said the spokesman, revealed that the Japanese platform aimed at high principles. This lofty attitude had been taken advantage of by British and American campaign leaders who have attacked the Japanese nomination of five candidates on the grounds that should the Japanese gain control of the Council, American and British interests would be driven out by various dictatorial methods of the Japanese and who have even hinted that the administration of the Settlement will be plunged into chaos. This propaganda has been extremely effective and the present election will probably be quite a close race, said the spokesman.

The spokesman said that there was a committee of four, British, Dutch, Chinese and Japanese, at present studying measures for reform of the Settlement administration. The Japanese ratepayers were anxious to see this committee expanded to include an American, German, Italian and some other national, so that discussions would be truly international.

WEDDING

Sparke—Lawford

The wedding took place at Holy Trintiy Cathedral yesterday afternoon of Mr. John Sparke, son of Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Sparke of Shanghai, and Miss Hamilla Lawford, elder daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Lawford of Shanghai. Dean Trivett officiated.

The bride, who was given away by her father, wore a dress of white faille cut on simple lines, with a very long train, long sleeves, squared shoulders and high neckline. Her long tulle veil was fastened with a rounded headdress of lilies of the valley and she carried a bouquet of valley and roses. The matron of honour was Mrs. Cole, the bridesmaid Miss Jimmie Holwill, and the train bearer and page Joanna Silby and David Howell. The dresses worn were alike of pale green and silver brocade made with draped tunic, rounded neckline, short full sleeves, long full skirts with hipline pockets with pleated flares. Heart-shaped headdresses of violets matched small muffs of the same flowers. The page boy wore white sharkskin knee breeches, pale green and silver cutaway jacket and white jabot. The best man was Mr. K. M. Cumming and the ushers were Messrs. C. Cumming, W. H. Droogleever, G. Bichard, and N. Stabb.

After the ceremony a reception was held at 45 Route Pichon, the residence of the bride's parents. The bride went away in a dress of peacock blue wool with waistcoat tunic appliquéd with cut-out embroidery. With it she wore a small hat with a large veil, and a top coat to match. All accessories were in burnt sugar shade.

"The Traveller's Gazette"

Messrs. Thos. Cook & Son present their "Far Eastern Traveller's Gazette" for April-June with a considerable amount of diffidence, they say. But though it is necessarily in a somewhat attenuated form, owing to a certain amount of travel information not being available in these days, it still contains all there is to be had, subject, of course, to change without notice. Holiday tours around Victoria are suggested, and there is a note on Canada's climatic optimum. The Lakes Route, from Chile to the Argentine, is well illustrated and North Manchuria could provide a cool summer vacation. Wherever the traveller may be thinking of going to in these circumscribed days, he can count on finding all the information that can be published within these pages.

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Pilot Officer J.P.C. Master Missing

Son of Mr. R.F.C. Master Believed Killed in Air Operations in Europe

News has been received in Shanghai that Pilot Officer Julian Paul Chester Master, son of Mr. R. F. C. Master of the law firm of Messrs. Platt, White & Cooper, has been reported as missing and is believed to have lost his life as the result of Royal Air Force operations on April 7.

Mr. Master, who is at present on his way to England is a prominent member of the British community in Shanghai, where he has resided for many years. The Under Secretary of State for Air has telegraphed Mr. Master and has stated that a letter will follow.

April 7, the day on which Pilot Officer Master was reported as missing, was marked by many air engagements in France, Germany and the North Sea. In one of these engagements, two British planes did not return to their bases after a battle with enemy fighters over the North Sea during which two of the enemy were brought down.

Two British Wellington bombers were also reported as having been brought down north of Sylt when a bombing formation was attacked by a large squadron of German fighters.

For having participated in the payroll robbery at Mr. Mark L. Moody's automobile assembling plant at 115 Great Western Road on March 20 a robber named Wong Ching-sen was sentenced to seven and a half years' imprisonment yesterday by the First Special District Court. He was charged with two other small robberies.

Gambling Worries Bother Chauffeur

New Ford Car Smashed, Two Hurt in Mishap

Considerably worried over gambling debts, a Chinese chauffeur employed by Mr. F. S. Collett, well-known local exchange broker, drove his master's car head on at the crow's nest at the intersection of Hart and Bubbling Well Roads shortly after 9 p.m. on Tuesday evening. The heavy iron standard was almost hurled from its base as a result of the terrific impact and the Chinese constable who was on traffic duty in the crow's nest was thrown to the ground, suffering slight injuries to the forehead.

The chauffeur suffered from shock and was sent to the police hospital where he is now being detained until his condition will permit him to appear in the First Special District Court to answer a charge of negligent driving. The car, a brand-new English-built Ford, was damaged almost beyond repair.

The chauffeur had been ordered to pick up his employer at the Country Club, but Mr. Collett who had been waiting for the car for some considerable time, finally left for home in a taxi. When the chauffeur arrived at the club and did not find his master, he proceeded home, driving west along Bubbling Well Road, at very high speed. Police are now investigating whether the chauffeur drove the car against the standard intentionally as no obstacle appears to have been in his way.

Rushed to the police hospital in an emergency ambulance, the chauffeur's clothes were searched and in one of the pockets a letter was found detailing the gambling debts which he had apparently despaired over. Meanwhile, the C.P.C. was also detained in hospital, although he will probably return to duty today or tomorrow.

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COMMERCE AND FINANCE

Money and Exchange

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WEDNESDAY, APRIL 10, 1940

BANK'S SELLING RATES 10 A.M.

£1 @ 4 3/16d.	$ 56.63
U.S. $100 @ 5 1/16	$1,720.43
Francs 301	$100
Yen 25	100
Guilders 10 3/4	100
Rupees 23 3/4	100
Pesos 11 5/8	100
Hongkong $27 1/2	100

BANK'S BUYING RATES 10 A.M.

£1 @ 4 3/16d.	$ 57.31
U.S. $100 @ 6	$1,666.67
London—demand, $1=	4 3/16d.
4 months' sight credits	4 3/16d.
4 months' sight docts	4 1/16d.
6 months' sight credits	4 1/16d.
6 months' sight docts	4 3/16d.
New York—demand, $100=	U.S.90
4 months' sight credits	U.S.86
4 months' sight docts	U.S.86 1/8

INTERBANK CLOSING SELLING RATES

Sterling 4 1/16d. U.S. $5 1/16
Hongkong/London 1/2 1/8

WEI WAH DISCOUNT

Wei Wah $1,065.00 C.N.$1,000.00

NETHERLANDS TRADING SOCIETY

Netherlands Guilders	Buying 11 1/8
Java Guilders	" 11 1/8
Netherlands Guilders	Selling 11 1/8
Java Guilders	" 11

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Buying	U.S.$100=$1,666.667 £1=$57.313
Selling	U.S.$100=$1,702.127 £1=$58.625

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Belgas 0.34 1/2=$1 Belgas 20.40=£1

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It. Lire 1.15=$1 Swiss Frs. 0.26 1/4=$1
Tourist Lire 1.39 .....$1

HUA HSING COMMERCIAL BANK

Sterling Selling Rate @ 6d	per H.H.$ 1
" Buying " @ 6 1/32	" H.H.$ 1
U.S.$ Selling " @ 8 1/2	" H.H.$100
" " Buying " @ 8 3/4	" H.H.$100
Local $ (Fapi) selling @ 144	per H.H.$100
buying @ 151	" H.H.$100

CUSTOMS OFFICIAL RATES FOR DUTY PAYMENTS

Gold Unit 1.00—Hua Hsing	$2,708
Gold Unit 1.00—Local Dollar	$4,089

*—Nominal.

Local Exchange Report

Messrs. Drakeford, Davis & Wilson

INTER BANK CASH DELIVERY

£	Highest 4 1/8	Lowest 4 1/8
U.S. G.$	5 1/8	5 1/8
Yen	—	—

MERCHANT CLOSING RATES

Cash	SELLING	BUYING April
£ T.T.	4 3/32	4 m/s. l.c. 4 1/8
G.$ T.T.	5 1/8	4 m/s. l.c. 6 1/16
Fcs. T.T.	300	4 m/s. 315
Rs. T.T.	22 1/8	15 d/s. 33 1/8

BAR SILVER

	READY	FOR'D
London pence per std. oz.	20 1/2	20 1/2
N.Y. cents per oz. troy	34 3/4	—
Bombay Rs. per 100 tolas	58.05	—
Bombay offtake 50 bars.		

NEW YORK/LONDON CASH RATES

New York closing Rate for Cash	3.46 1/8
Local sellers U.S.$ for Cash	3.45
Local buyers U.S.$ for Cash	3.46 1/4

The local exchange market opened with nominal sellers for cash at 4 1/8 sterling and 5 1/16 U.S.$, with an easy tendency on dollars at the opening. After a slight decline, some profit taking steadied the dollar rates, but there was no very definite firmness. At the close there were sellers at:—

4 1/8	sterling	5 1/16 U.S.$	Cash
4 3/32	"	5 1/16 "	Apr.
3 31/32	"	5 1/16 "	May

Foreign Exchanges

Closing, Apr. 9.

Bombay, Rupee T. T. on:

Japan	88 5/8	London	1/5 31/32
New York	33 21/32	2 mths	
Shanghai	23 5/8	" sellers	1/5 31/32
		" buyers	1/6 1/32
		Japan	
		2 mths	
		" sellers	89 3/4
		" buyers	87 1/8

London & Sterling T. T. on:

New York	402.50	Shanghai	4 1/4 d.
Paris	176.50	Bombay	1/6 3/32
Amsterdam	7.53	Hongkong	1/2 31/32
Brussels	23.55	Singapore	2/4 3/32
Madrid	38.50	Yokohama	1/2 29/32
Milan	68.25	" (buying)	1/2 31/32
Berne	17.85		

New York U.S.$ T. T. on:

Berlin	40.20	Brazil	5.10
Spain	9.95	Japan	23.48
Holland	53.08	Shanghai	6.00
Paris	1.96 3/8	Hungary	17.70
Brussels	16.99	Rumania	0.53 N
Italy	5.05	Yugo Slavia	2.32 N
S'zerland	22.43	Greece	0.67
Sweden	23.83 N	Finland	1.90
Montreal	83.625		
London			3.46 1/8
" Demand			3.45 3/8
Buenos Aires Paper			Unq.
" " " market rate			22.75
Montreal on London			4.14 1/2

N—Nominal.—Reuter.

Foreign Money Rates

London:	Apr. 9.
Fine Bank Bills, 3 months	1 3/4%
Bank Bills 6 months	1 3/4%
Fine Trade Bills, 3 months	2 3/4%
Fine Trade Bills, 6 months	3 1/4%
Call Money	1%
New York:	
Bankers' Acceptances for 1, 2 and 3 months	0 1/2%B 0 3/8%A
Bankers' Acceptances for 4 months	0 3/4%B 0 5/8%A
Call Money	1%

B—Bid. A—Asked.—Reuter.

Paris Bourse

Paris, Apr. 9.

The Bourse opened weak this morning despite active trading. During the session, prices declined further, particularly in international issues.

Closing rates were among the day's lowest.—Havas.

Forward Rubber Sales

The Shanghai Kelantan Rubber Estates (1925), Ltd., announce that one-quarter of their exportable quota for October-December, has been sold forward at 33 3/4 Straits cents per lb.

Silver Quotations

London, Apr. 10.

Silver prices advanced today, the quotations being:—

	Apr. 9	Apr. 10
London spot	20 1/2 d.	20 1/8 d.
" forward	20 1/2 d.	20 7/8 d.
" gold	168/-	168/-

—Reuter.

Cross Rates

London/New York	U.S.$4.0350	59.478d.
New York/London	3.46 1/8	69.34d.

Shanghai Stocks

Yesterday's Business

The market was devoid of any special feature throughout yesterday's trading with little change in prices.

The opening rates were about the same as those at the close of the previous day, and some improvement was noted soon afterwards when a few buyers came out to pick up cheap shares but as soon as these were satisfied the market became very quiet. Considering the prevalent uncertainties, the market acted very well.

Rubber shares showed some improvement due to the substantial rise in the price of the raw commodity but there was no rush to buy, the market remaining a trading affair.

Official Averages

1940 High	1940 Low		Today's Average	Change
353.93	105.32	General	324.11	—1.70
475.35	95.55	Rubbers	407.67	+4.14

Total 334,990 shares, 775 bonds.

Morning Session

Power 5 1/2% Debs.				10500	*88.00
	2000	88.00			
Cathay Land 6% Tael Debs.				5000	80.00
F. M. C. 6 1/2% Tael 1926				10000	95.00
Central Prop. 5 1/2%				50000	93.50
I. I. Trust	1000	24.75		1000	*25.00
	500	25.25	500	25.00	
Bakerite				200	22.50
S'hai Loan		500	*27.00	1000	27.25
	500	27.00	1000	26.75	
Yangtsze Finance			1000	16.70	
	1000	*16.70	500	16.90	4000	17.00
	2000	16.90	1000	16.80	1000	16.70
	1000	16.80			
S'hai Securities		500	6.00	2000	5.95
	500	5.90	500	5.95	
Int. Assurance				500	*13.00
China Realty		1000	7.65	1000	7.60
	500	7.65	500	7.60	500	7.65
	500	7.60			
S'hai Land		500	14.20	2500	14.10
	500	*14.10	1500	14.20	1000	*14.10
	500	14.10	500	14.00	
Dockyards		100	41.00	1000	40.50
	100	*40.50	600	*40.25	100	40.50
	700	40.25	2000	40.50	600	*40.50
	600	40.75	800	41.00	700	*41.00
	100	*41.25	1300	41.00	100	*41.25
	1100	41.00	300	40.75	1200	41.00
	200	*41.00	200	40.75	200	*41.00
	200	*40.75	400	40.75	300	40.50
	100	*40.50	400	40.75	200	*40.50
	1000	40.75	100	*41.00	2900	40.75
	500	41.00	200	40.75	100	41.00
	400	40.75	500	41.00	200	*41.00
Wheelock			500	*142.00	300	142.00
	100	142.50			
C. G. Omnibus		200	30.00	100	30.25
	400	30.50	200	30.75	100	31.00
S'hai Gas			900	21.75	100	21.50
Telephone		500	30.75	200	31.00
	600	30.75	200	*30.50	200	30.50
	800	30.75	1000	30.50		
Tram (Bearer)		£1			500	55.50
	500	*55.00				
Metal			100	*28.75	600	28.75
	500	29.00	500	29.25	100	30.00
	100	29.75	1000	29.50	900	29.25
	100	29.00	1300	29.25	500	29.50
			100	56.50	200	*57.00
Lumber			400	56.50		
	700	57.00	1000	19.10	1000	*19.20
Exploration			1000	*19.10	500	19.20
	1500	19.10	1000	*19.20	500	*19.10
	500	*19.10	500	19.40	2000	19.50
	500	19.80	500	19.70	500	19.80
	4500	19.70	500	*19.70	500	*19.80
	1000	19.70	1500	19.60	1000	*19.50
	2000	19.50	1500	*19.40	2500	19.40
	1500	19.30	2500	19.40	5000	19.50
	1500	19.40	500	*19.40		
Ewo Mills (Ord)		300	46.50	300	46.25
	600	*46.00	200	46.25	300	46.00
	700	46.25	300	*46.25	600	46.50
	200	46.75	300	46.50	300	*46.75
	700	46.75	100	46.50	1100	46.75
	200	*46.50	1000	46.50	100	*46.25
	2300	46.25				
China Finance					1000	1.70
Alma			100	53.00	500	53.50
Anglo Dutch			100	27.00	700	27.75
	100	28.00	100	28.25	400	28.00
	500	28.25	500	*28.00	300	27.75
	300	*27.50	300	27.50	400	27.75
	100	*28.00	200	27.50		
Anglo Java			100	47.50	100	48.00
	200	*48.00	500	*48.75	100	49.00
	100	48.75	100	49.00	200	48.75
	500	48.50	100	*48.00	200	48.00
	100	48.25				
Batu Anam			1000	*2.15½	1000	*2.17½
	3000	2.20				
Bute			2000	11.50	1000	11.60
	1500	11.80				
Chemor			5000	4.30	4000	4.35
	1000	*4.35	2000	4.30	2000	4.25
Cheng			1000	*1.18	1000	1.30
	1000	1.22	2000	1.26	9000	1.24
	1000	*1.24	14000	1.22	4000	1.24
Consolidated			1000	11.60	1000	11.80
	4000	12.00	1000	*12.00	1500	11.80
	500	12.00	1500	11.80		
Java Consolidated					1000	6.50
	1000	6.40	2000	6.35		
Kroewoek			2000	3.92½	5000	3.90
	3000	3.92½	2000	3.90	4000	3.95
	1000	*3.95	1000	3.92½	2000	3.90
	3000	3.85	1000	3.87½	2000	*3.87½
Langkat			100	35.00	400	35.25
	600	35.50	200	*35.75	200	35.75
	100	35.50	100	35.25	400	35.00
	100	*35.00	100	*35.25	400	35.00
	600	34.75	200	*34.75	600	35.00
	500	34.75	1000	34.50	100	*34.50
Padang			1000	4.20	5000	4.25
Repah			1000	2.10	2000	2.15
	1000	2.12½	1000	2.15		
Rubber Trust			500	13.60	1000	13.70
	500	13.60	500	13.50	1000	13.40
	500	13.30				
Samagaga			1000	2.90	1000	2.95
	1000	2.85				
Semambu			1000	2.20	2000	2.25
	1000	2.30				
Senawang			1000	2.90	6000	2.95
	1000	2.97½	1000	2.95	4000	2.97½
	1000	*2.97½	1000	2.95	2000	2.97½
	1000	2.95	5000	2.90	4000	2.87½
	2000	2.37½	5000	2.35	9000	2.30
	4000	*2.30				
Ziangbe			200	36.25	100	37.50
	100	37.25	600	37.00	600	36.75

ODD LOTS

S'hai Land			200 14.20
Yangtsze Finance			200 16.60
S. W. "C"			50 46.00
I. I. Trust			200 24.50
Telephone	30	30.50	30 31.00
S'hai Securities			200 5.85
Bute	200	11.80	280 *11.50

*—Direct Business.

Japan Trade Favoured by New War Situation

Tokyo, Apr. 10.

New developments in the European war situation would affect favourably Japan's foreign trade as they would inevitably cause a sharp decline in Britain's exports, commercial observers here said today.

The new German "blitzkreig" in Northern Europe would result in the greater consumption of goods by Britain and her requisition of more vessels for military purposes, they said.

Difficulties in importing goods from Norway, Denmark and other Scandinavian countries because of the new war situation would not cause any serious troubles to Japan since she was well prepared for such an eventuality and studied measures to shift her buying market to other parts of the world, commercial observers pointed out.

Japan bought goods worth Y.50,484,000 from Scandinavian countries last year while her exports to those countries amounted to Y.15,509,000, with an unfavourable balance of Y.34,875,000.

Iron ore and pulp were major items in Japan's imports from Sweden, Norwey and other Scandinavian countries.—Domei.

New York Stocks

Tuesday's Closing Quotations

New York, Apr. 9.

News of the German invasion of Scandinavia caught traders unawares on Wall Street today, whilst opinions regarding the future outlook were about evenly divided. Trading was very active, and wide gyrations of stock values were witnessed throughout the session.

However, there was considerable switching from peace stocks to steels, aircrafts, coppers and other war babies, while papers were outstandingly firm, owing to the belief that pulp shipments from Scandinavia will be severely curtailed.

At the higher levels, heavy profit taking appeared in most sections, and prices generally closed from fractions to about one point lower.

The turnover amounted to 2,140,000 shares.—Reuter.

Dow-Jones Averages

	High	Low	Close	Changes
30 Indust.	152.01	149.16	150.31	—0.98
20 Rails	32.05	31.10	31.42	—0.54
15 Utilit.	25.81	25.05	25.28	—0.64
40 Bonds	—	—	89.35	—0.55
11 Commod.	—	—	60.25	+1.60

	Apl. 8	9		Apl. 8	9
Adams Exp	8 1/4	8	Kennecott	37 1/4	37 1/8
Alg Lud	2 3/8	2 3/8	Lak F & M	*4 1/4	*4 1/4
Allid Stores	9	8 1/8	Libbey O F	51 1/4	50 1/2
Allis Chal	37 1/4	37 1/4	Lockheed	38 1/4	38 1/2
Alum Ld	106	105 1/4	Loew's	36 1/2	35 1/2
Amer Can	115	115 1/4	Loft Inc	38 1/4	37 1/8
Am Cyan B	39 1/2	39 1/2	Mack Trks	27 1/2	27 1/4
Am For Pr	2	1 1/8	Martin	45 1/4	45 1/4
" 7 pfd	26 1/4	25 1/2	McK & R	29	27
Am G & E	38	37 1/4	Monsanto	113 1/2	114
Am Loco	22	21 1/4	Mont Ward	54 1/2	54 1/4
Am Metal	23 1/8	23 1/2	Nat Avian	15 1/4	14 1/8
Am Radtr	9 1/4	8 1/2	Nat City B	*29 1/4	*29 1/4
Am R Mill	16 1/4	16 1/8	Nat Dairy	17 1/8	17 1/4
Am Smltg	53	53 1/2	Nat Dist	26 1/8	26 1/2
Am Bug R	20 1/2	21 1/4	Nat Gyp	11 1/8	10 1/8
Am T & T	175	174 1/2	Nat Lead	21 1/2	22 1/8
Am Tob B	91 1/8	91	Nat P & L	8 1/8	8 1/4
Am Wtwrks	11 1/8	10 1/8	Nat Steel	69 1/8	68
Anaconda	30 1/8	31 1/8	Nat Supply	9	8 1/2
Atchison	24 1/2	24	N Y Cent	18	17 1/4
Auburn	1 1/2	1 1/8	Niag Hud	5 1/2	5 1/8
Avian Cpn	7 1/8	7 1/4	N A Avian	25 1/2	25
Bald Loco	16	16 1/8	N Am Co	23 1/4	23
Balt & Ohio	5 1/4	5 1/8	N Pacific	8 1/4	8 1/4
Barber	16 1/2	15 1/8	O I Glass	63 1/4	63
Barns Oil	12	11 1/4	Pac G & E	34	34 1/8
Bend Avian	35 1/2	34 1/2	Pac Light	48 1/2	48
Beth Steel	81 1/4	82	Packard	3 1/8	3 1/8
Bliss	17	17 1/4	Pan Am Air	23 1/4	22 1/2
Boeing	26 1/8	26 1/4	Paramount	8 1/4	7 1/2
Borg War	24 1/8	23 1/2	Penn R R	23 1/2	22 1/4
Brid Brass	12 1/8	12 1/8	Pheips D	37 1/8	38 1/4
Briggs	23 1/4	23	P & R Coal	0 1/8	0 1/8
Bkn-M Tr	23 1/8	22 1/2	Phil Pet	39 1/4	39
" $6 pfd	100	100 1/8	Pitts C & I	8 1/4	9 1/4
Budd Mfg	5 1/4	5 1/4	P S of N J	42 1/2	42 1/2
Can Pac	6	5 1/2	Pullman	27 1/8	27
Case J I	71 1/8	69 1/2	Pure Oil	10 1/8	10 1/4
Celanese	33	32	Radio	7	6 1/2
Chase N B	*35	*34 1/2	Reading	17	16 1/2
Chespeake	41	39 1/4	" 1st pfd	*25 1/2	*26
Chrysler	90 1/2	88 1/8	Rem Arms	*4 1/4	*4 1/8
Clim Mlyb	40	39	Rep Avian	6 1/8	6 1/8
Celt's	80 1/2	80 1/2	Rep Steel	22 1/2	22 1/8
Col G & E	7 1/4	7	Rev C & B	13 1/4	14
" A pfd	93 1/4	92 1/2	Rey Tob B	42 1/4	42 1/2
Com Credit	46 1/4	47	Rich Oil	7	7 1/8
Com & Sth	1 1/8	1 1/8	Safe Stores	52 1/4	51 1/2
Cons Edis	32 1/8	31 1/8	Schenley	13 1/8	13 1/2
Cons Oil	7 1/8	8	Sears Roeb	87 1/2	87 1/4
Cont Can	48 1/4	48 1/4	Shell U Oil	12 1/2	12 1/4
Cont Oil	23 1/8	23 1/8	Soc Vac	12	12
Coppld St	22 1/8	22 1/8	Sthrn Pac	14	13 1/8
Corn Prod	61 1/4	61 1/2	Sthrn Rly	29 1/8	28 1/8
Curtis Wr	10 1/8	10 1/8	Sperry	46 1/4	45 1/4
" A	29 1/4	29 1/2	Spicer	37	36 1/8
Deere & Co	23 1/4	23 1/8	Std Brands	7 1/4	7 1/8
Dist Corp S	19	18 1/8	Std G & E	2	*1 1/8
Douglas	87	86 1/4	Std Oil of C	24	24
Du Pont	189 1/4	188 1/4	Std Oil N J	43 1/8	43 1/4
E P Lead	11 1/4	11 1/8	Stone & W	10 1/8	10 1/8
Eaton Mfg	35 1/4	36	Studebaker	12 1/8	11 1/8
Elec A Lite	41	39 1/8	Swift Int	29 1/2	29 1/4
Elec B & S	7 1/8	7	Technicor	15 1/8	15 1/4
" $5 pfd	63 1/4	62 1/8	Tex Corp	47 1/4	46 1/4
" $6 pfd	71 1/2	69 1/8	Tex Gul	34 1/4	34 1/2
Elec P & L	34 1/2	33 1/4	Timken	24 1/2	24 1/8
Fisk Rub	*15	*15	Transamer	6 1/8	6 1/4
Flintkote	21 1/8	20	Tw Cent F	11 1/2	11 1/4
Gen Am Tr	54	52 1/2	" pfd	24	*23
Gen Elec	39 1/8	39 1/2	Un Carbide	85	84
Gen Motor	55 1/4	55	Un Pacific	97 1/2	97 1/8
Gen Rly	17 1/8	16	Un Aircraft	49 1/4	49
Gen T & R	21	20 1/8	Un A Lines	22 1/4	20 1/2
Glidden	18 1/4	18 1/4	Un Corp	2 1/8	2 1/8
Goodrich	20 1/4	19 1/2	" $3 pfd	40 1/4	40 1/2
" $5 pfd	68	67 1/4	Un Gas	1 1/8	1 1/4
Goodyear	24 1/2	23 1/2	Un Gas Imp	12 1/2	12 1/8
Gt N I Ore	14 1/8	15 1/8	U S Ind Al	24 1/8	25
Gt N Rly	27	25 1/8	U S Rub	37 1/8	36 1/2
Gt W Sug	26 1/4	27 1/8	" pfd	116 1/2	116
Greyhound	16 1/8	16 1/4	U S Steel	63 1/2	63 1/4
Her Pow	99 1/2	99 1/2	Vanadium	36 1/8	37 1/8
Homestake	56 1/8	56	Vultee Air	10 1/2	10 1/8
Int Harv	58 1/8	57 1/2	Walworth	6 1/8	5 1/8
Int Nickel	35 1/4	33 1/4	War Br Pict	3 1/8	3 1/8
Int T & T	4 1/2	4 1/4	West Elec	114 1/4	113 1/2
Johns Man	72	72	Woodward	27	27
Jones & L	66 1/4	67			

BONDS

Amer. & For. Power	67	66 1/8
Baltimore & Ohio R.R.	27 1/8	27 1/4
Brazil (U.S. of) 8%	21 1/2	21
" 6 1/2%	17	16 1/4
Cities Serv. & Lt.	88 1/8	86
Erie	17	16 1/2
Int. Tel. & Tel.	46 1/2	43 1/2
New England Gas & Elec.	*69 1/2	69 1/2
Republic of Colombia (1928)	33	33 1/2
"	33 1/4	33 1/2
Sthrn. Pacific Co.	48	47
Stand. Gas & Elec.	69	66 1/4

*—Bid †—Ex Div.

WEEKLY CLOSING BONDS

	Apl. 2	9
Anglo-Chilean Mitrate Corp.	39 1/2	38 1/2
Argentine	86 1/2	84 1/8
Brooklyn-Manhattan Trans.	*101 1/8	103
Chic. Milwaukee, St. Paul	7	7 1/8
Columbia Gas & Elec.	104 1/2	104 1/2
Denmark	*61 1/2	59 1/2
Denver & Rio Grande	10	*10 1/2
Elec. Power & Lt.	81	83
Mines Geraes	*11 1/8	*11 1/2
Mortgage Bank of Colombia	*27	*27
Nat. Power & Lt. "B"	107 1/8	107 1/2
" "A"	112 1/4	*112 1/2
New England Power Ass.	100 1/2	100 1/4
New York, Chic. & St.	*81 1/2	85 1/2
Oslo	**73	**73
Peru	10 1/2	10
Republic Steel	90 1/2	88 1/8
Rio Grande de Sul	10 1/8	10 1/8
Sao Paulo	10 1/4	*9 1/2
Sthrn. Rly.	76 1/8	78 1/2
Studebaker Conv.	108 1/2	110 1/2

**—Offered.

WEEKLY CLOSING STOCK

	Apl. 2	9
Alaska Juneau	6 1/8	6 1/2
Amer. Brake Shoe & Fdry.	41 1/2	42 1/2
Amer. Hide & Leather	4 1/2	5 1/8
Amer. Locomotive pfd.	—	61 1/2
A.P.W. Paper Co.	2 1/4	3 1/2
Ass. Gas & Elec. $5 pfd.	*2 1/2	2 1/2
Atlan. Gulf & W.	*14 1/2	16 1/2
Atlan. Refining	22 1/2	22 1/8
Atlas Corp.	8	9
Bank of Montreal	206	206
Bellance Aircraft Corp.	6 1/2	6 1/2
Callahan Zinc-Lead	1 1/2	1 1/2
Cluett Peabody	44 1/2	44
Comm. & Sthrn. $6 cum. pfd.	68 1/2	67
Colorada Fuel & Iron warrants	6	6 1/2
Coml. Solvents	15 1/2	15 1/8
Consolid. Aircraft	28	30
Consumers Pwr. $4.50 pfd.	*102 1/2	102 1/2
Cont. Roll & Steel Fdry.	6 1/2	8 1/2
Coty Inc.	6 1/8	7 1/8
Coty Int.	1 1/2	1 1/8
Crown Zellerbach	15 1/2	18 1/2
Delaware & Hudson	17 1/8	19 1/8
Elec. Boat Co.	15 1/2	15 1/2
Elec. Power & Lt.	6 1/2	6 1/2
Erie Rly.	1 1/2	1 3/8
Gen. Foods	47 1/8	48
Int. Paper & Power	12 1/8	16 1/2
Lorillard	24 1/2	24 1/2
Mountain City Copper	4	4 1/8
Mueller Brass	23 1/4	24 1/2
Nash Kelvinator	6 1/2	6 1/2
Nat. Power & Lt. $6 pfd.	94 1/2	95 1/2
Peper Aircraft	*8 1/2	9
Poor Mfg. "B"	*10 1/8	12
Rayonier Inc.	*16	19 1/2
Royal Bank of Canada	183	180
Schenley 5 1/4% pfd.	79	78 1/2
Scott Paper	48	46 1/2
Scovill mfg.	30	30 1/2
Sthrn. Cal. Edison	28 1/2	30 1/2
Sthrn. Rly. com.	16 1/2	17 1/2
Sterling Prods.	79 1/2	79 1/2
Texas Pacific Land Trust	5 1/2	5 1/2
Tidewater Ass. Oil	10 1/8	11
Thompson Products	35 1/2	34 1/2
Un. Light & Power "A"	0 1/2	0 1/8
U.S. Pipe & Fdry.	36	35 1/8
U.S. Realty & Imp.	1 1/8	1 1/8
U.S. Smelt. Ref. & Min.	61	64
Westinghouse Air Brakes	22 1/2	24 1/4
Yellow Truck & Coach "B"	17 1/8	18 1/2
Youngtown Sheet & Tube	41 1/2	44 1/2

Dow-Jones Summary

By Courtesy of Swan, Culbertson & Fritz

Stocks:—Steels, aircrafts, coppers and other "war babies" were heavily bought on implications of a broadening of the battle fronts. Best opinion favours higher prices in these groups. Paper shares were an outstanding feature. International Paper, Union Bag and Paper and Nead Corporation are best situated to benefit from the probable elimination of Scandinavian pulp imports, while most other American paper companies, whose plup output is small, may be hurt by rising pulp prices. If the results of the Illinois and Nebraska primaries are as favourable as we expect, the whole market is likely to advance further, especially utilities, like Columbia Gas and Electric, Engineers Public Service, North American and United Gas Improvement.

STATISTICS

	This Week	Last Week
Business Failures	274	287
Demand Deposits in Federal	$19,175	$19,276
Reserve Member Banks (millions)		

EARNINGS

Stocks	Period	1939	1938
Continental Oil	Yr. 31/12	$1.35	$1.10
Standard Oil of Cal.	Yr. 31/12	1.36	2.20

Cotton:—Buying was largely on foreign differences and the day's war developments, which, however, are not construed as bullish, as they threated to leave proportionately available supplies here. Spot houses were heavy sellers of nears. Textiles ruled active.

Wheat:—The early sharp advance on European news met with heavy profit-taking and hedging. However, the subsequent reaction encountered a strong demand, with shorts scrambling to cover and early sellers reinstating their positions. England took 8,000,000 bushels of Canadian wheat and was reported to be establishing credits for foodstuffs here. Weather news was a secondary factor, but no rains have been reported.

Rubber:—A firm undertone prevailed throughout the session, with dealers persistent buyers. A broadening general demand was encountered. The market advanced largely on the possible effect of war development upon shipping. A reaction is probably upon realization of the improbability of an early effect. Actual shipments of native and estate rubber from the Netherlands East Indies during February amounted to 38,643 tons of which 1,672 tons for account of 1939, as against 55,098 tons in the previous month.

Hides:—Were nervous and erratic. The sharp reaction from early highs was met with good support, and participation is broadening Spots ruled strong, and packers have withdrawn from the market.

Copper:—Active trade demand was witnessed, while custom smelters were reported to have withdrawn.

Sugar No. 4:—The market was irregular. Indications point to higher level as the war spreads.

By Courtesy of S. E. Levy & Co.

The disparity between stock and bond yields is now 2.3 per cent., against 1.7 per cent. a year ago, when industrials were 20 points lower. This militates against a major decline in stocks, but indicates fear psychosis.

When avarice overcomes fear, a rising market is at hand, and a desire to make money, instead of holding on to cash, is likely to be fostered by excellent earning reports.

Favourable political news from Wisconsin, unbridled Detroit automobile optimism, rail equipment orders and a

TRAVEL AND SHIPPING

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TATUTA MARU ..... Apr. 29
NITTA MARU,
Maiden voyage .... May 13
ASAMA MARU ..... May 29

Orient-Seattle Line
via Vancouver.
From Kobe
HEIAN MARU ..... May 11
HIKAWA MARU ..... May 17

Orient-New York Line
via Los Angeles and Panama
AKAGI MARU ..... Apr. 14

Japan-Australia Line
via Hongkong and Manila
From Nagasaki
KITANO MARU ..... Apr. 26
KAMO MARU ..... May 20
Shanghai, Hongkong, Manila Line
NITTA MARU
Maiden voyage .... May 1

European Mail Line
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*HARUNA MARU ..... Apr. 15
HAKONE MARU ..... May 22
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*DELAGOA MARU .... Apr. 20
DURBAN MARU ..... May 1
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Singapore, Colombo, Bombay, Kundla and Karachi
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ms. CROWN CITY	Sailed	Apr. 23/29	May 2	May 6/14
ss. COLLINGSWORTH	Apr. 16	May 5/11	May 14	May 18/26

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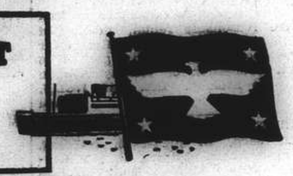

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VESSELS ARRIVING TO-DAY

The following particulars in connection with vessels due to arrive to-day are based upon information available yesterday evening.

From NAGASAKI: Shanghai Maru, with mail, due 2 p.m., Wayside Wharf.
From DAIREN: Dairen Maru, with mail, due 2-3 p.m., Whangpoo Wharf.

DUE AT FUTURE DATES

All vessels are listed under their terminal port. The first date is that of the ship's departure from that port, and the second is the date she is due to arrive in Shanghai Where a ship's name is duplicated it indicates the port of call last visited.

On account of the present international situation there is considerable interference with movements of ships, especially those from Europe. In cases where it is definitely known that the vessel is not running to schedule the Shanghai arrival date is omitted.

EUROPE AND STRAITS

From GENOA

India	29/2	6/5

From TRIESTE

Volpi	27/2	25/4
Carignano	25/2	26/4
Cortellazzo	20/3	9/5

From COLOMBO

Volpi	2/4	25/4
Carignano	3/4	26/4

From SOURABAYA

Tjibadak	5/4	22/4

From MACASSAR

Tjibadak	7/4	22/4

From MANILA

Pres. Cleveland	5/4	12/4
Niel Maersk	8/4	14/4

From HONGKONG
See "China Ports" below

AMERICA AND JAPAN

From NEW YORK

G'trude Maersk	26/2	14/4
Dona Aniceta	—	16/4
Memphis City	—	20/4
Titania	14/3	21/4
Grete Maersk	11/3	26/4
Sagoland	—	30/4
Hulda Maersk	22/3	6/5
Mar. Maersk	10/4	26/5

From PANAMA

Hulda Maersk	1/4	6/5

From LOS ANGELES

Tatuta M.	25/3	21/4
Grete Maersk	1/4	26/4
Pres. Coolidge	1/4	23/4
Hulda Maersk	11/4	6/5

From SEATTLE

West Cuseta	18/3	16/4
Crown City	30/3	21/4

From HONOLULU

Pres. Coolidge	10/4	23/4

From YOKOHAMA

Tatuta Maru	11/4	21/4

From KOBE

G'trude Maersk	11/4	14/4
Kashima Maru	19/4	21/4
Taiyo Maru	3/5	5/5

From NAGASAKI

Nagasaki Maru	12/4	13/4

AFRICA AND AUSTRALIA

From CAPETOWN

Tegelberg	13/3	20/4

From MOMBASA

Tegelberg	31/3	20/4

CHINA PORTS

From DAIREN

Tsingtao M.	13/4	15/4

From HONGKONG

Pres. Cleveland	9/4	12/4
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Durban Maru	1/5

For LIVERPOOL

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For TRIESTE

Volpi	23/4
Carignano	23/4

For BOMBAY

Nagato Maru	14/4
Anyo Maru	25/4

For CAPETOWN

Tegelberg	22/4

For JAVA

Tjinegara	11/4
Tjibadak	25/4

For HONGKONG

Tatuta Maru	22/4

For MANILA

Gertrude Maersk	15/4
Pres. Harrison	17/4
Pres. Coolidge	28/4
Nitta Maru	1/5

For NEW YORK

Akagi Maru	14/4
N. Maersk	16/4

For NEW YORK

Dona Aniceta	19/4
Titania	22/4
Peter Maersk	2/5
Kinai Maru	7/5
Gertrude Maersk	16/5

For San FRANCISCO

Pres. Cleveland	13/4
Asama Maru	13/4
Tatuta Maru	29/4

For SEATTLE

West Cuseta	20/4
Crown City	24/4

For Buenos Aires

Kanto Maru	26/4

For KOBE

Yasukuni Maru	14/4
Kasima Maru	14/4
Hakone Maru	20/4
Yasukuni Maru	20/4
Kashima Maru	22/4
Taiyo Maru	8/5

For NAGASAKI

Shanghai Maru	12/4
Nagasaki Maru	14/4

For DAIREN

Dairen Maru	12/4
Tsingtao Maru	16/4
Dairen Maru	19/4
Hoten Maru	23/4
Dairen Maru	26/4
Hoten Maru	30/4

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Meinan	Ningpo	S.V.O.C.
Ryuzan M	Borneo	Showa S.
Anwoo	Hsinkong	Dah Hsing
Taketoyo M.	Japan	N.Y.K.
Agnes	Port Redon	T.C.C.
Romolo	Liuho	V. Chieri
Asiatica	Hupukow	A.P.C.
Kiangnan	T'lungkong	C.F.P.K.
Sanko M.	Japan	M.B.K.
Peikong	Dairen	D.K.K.
Remo	Sungmen	V. Chieri
Kasima M.	Japan	T.K.K.
Lipari	T'lungkong	C.F.P.K.
Solviken	Port Courbet	Jebsen
Chekiang M.	Tsungming	T.K.K.
Tawha	T'lungkong	Quen Kee
Taiko M. 18	Hsinkong	T.K.K.
Talien	Tsungming	Wan Woo
Hungyun	T'lungkong	C.F.P.K.

Men-of-War in Port

Name	*Flag*	*Type*	*Berthed*
Luzon	Am.	Gbt.	Upper Sec.
D. de Lagree	Fr.	Gbt.	K.S.D.
Fran. Garnier	Fr.	Gbt.	F.N.B.
E. Carlotto	Itl.	Gbt.	16 P'toon
Lepanto	Itl.	Gbt.	J.N.B.

Yesterday's Departures

Name	*Flag*	*Despatcher*
Zuiun M.	Jap.	Showa S.
Silberoet	Neth.	J.C.J.L.
Jean Laborde	Fr.	M.M.
Tangyang M.	Jap.	T.K.K.
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